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CAUGHT IN THEIR OWN TRAP

The St. John, N.B., Insurance Defrauders Are Fairly in the Clutches of the Law.

An Important Opium Seizure at 'Frisco — Heber Newten Will Take a Year's Rest.

Flower's Estimate of Cleveland--- South Carolina Lost to the Democrats.

ST. JOHN, N. B., Nov. 3.—The trial of the Weltons and Dr. Randall for conspiring to defraud insurance companies by policies obtained on the life of W. A. Reid, of Albert county, a dying man, will last nearly all week, and the evidence so far brings the crime home with direct force to the three prisoners. Gideon Reid, their associate in the job, who turned Queen's evidence, has apparently repented and now hesitates to take the stand by advice of his counsel, until the Crown promises to drop their case against him. Solicitor General Pugsley says he can convict the prisoners without Reid's testimony. A sensation was caused last evening by the statement of Mrs. Reid, widow of the insured, that she did not know her husband's life was insured till told so by one of the prisoners some time after his death, and that they paid her $1000 as the full amount. She swore positively that her signature to the receipts and orners for the entire insurance of $5500 were forgeries, and the signatures themselves bore out her statement, as they in no way resembled her writing. Her evidence was most damaging to the prisoners.

Heavy Opium Seizure.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Customs officers made a valuable seizure of opium this morning; 1640 tins, valued at $15496, were found in cases marked playing cards. Collector Phelp received a telegram about a week ago notifying him to look out for five cases of playing cards marked "Ashcroft," which would reach here on the steamer Oregon from Portland. When the Oregon arrived yesterday morning customs inspectors were put to work on her cargo, but did not discover the goods although the search was continued all day. Last night the hatches were sealed down, everything closed up and a watch placed on board. This morning the search was renewed, the cases of supposed playing cards finally being discovered. There were five cases each marked "G. L. A. & Co., San Francisco," and each when opened was found to contain several tins of opium. In all there were, as stated, above 1640 tins, the duty upon which would have amounted to $9840. It is stated that the shipment of opium was sent from Puget Sound, via the Canadian Pacific, then over the Lackawanna freight line and Wisconsin Central, from which it was transferred to the Northern Pacific, landed at Portland and put on the Oregon.

The Worst Fog in Years.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Pilots of steamers and sailing vessels have not had for a year a fog so thick as that which settled over the rivers and bays last evening, and which continued until this morning so thick and impenetrable that to look out more than 10 feet ahead of a vessel was impossible, while the lights of steamers and those along the river front could not be seen from shore. "Can't see four yards from shore, came from Sandy Hook." "We cannot see Fort Hamilton heights was telegraphed from quarantine." One wreck, in which several men were drowned, is reported to have occurred. Michael Bannon and Joseph Inlet, who have a boat at the battery, took some friends of the Bedloes Island officers over to the island about 10 o'clock. On their return, they ran into a lot of wreckage which looked as if it might have been the deck houses of a small steamer. A tug with a Pennsylvania boat in tow came around the battery from the North River so closely that she grazed the Staten Island ferry ship. The big railroad transfer, Maryland, with eight passenger cars on board got lost in the fog, narrowly missing going ashore at the battery. Ellis Island ferry Shackamaxon, remained in the barge office slip all night. The Staten Island ferry boats, with those of the Brooklyn and Hamilton ferry lines, were from five minutes to half an hour late in reaching their slips.

Scanlan the Mad Comedian.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Wm. J. Scanlan's wife and Father Dougherty visited Bloomingdale asylum on Tuesday night and told the demented comedian that his sister Sadie was dying, he does not know that she is dead yet, but the news will be broken to him to-day. The announcement of his sister's illness did not produce the effect that it was at first thought it might do. Scanlan said his sister would never be in that condition if he could reach her. "My little sister dying," said he, "why, with my medical science I could bring about a cure immediately." Scanlan is thoroughly demented. He is growing very fat and seems to have lost his memory. His voice is clear, and occasionally he sings part of his old songs, but never goes through them.

Endangered by Bungling.

CHARLESTON, S.C., Nov. 3.—There is danger of the loss of this state to Cleveland. It was discovered to-day that a serious error had been made in the appointment of the Democratic electoral tickets in this state, which will result in the entire Democratic electoral vote being thrown out on account of illegal tickets, if the error is not corrected. The tickets have been in the hands of the commissioners of election and county committee for some time, and have been partly distributed. There lies the danger. It is hard to tell what proportion of the tickets sent out from state committee headquarters are illegal. Most of those heard from are a sixteenth-of-an-inch too long; some too small and some too large. The law says they must be 5x2½ inches. The responsibility for such a serious blunder is difficult to fix. The tickets went through the hands of the executive committee.

Charged With Heresy.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Rev. Heber Newton, the pastor of All Souls' Episcopal church, has written his congregation saying that his condition is such that he will not be able to resume active work for at least a year. He refers to the charge of heresy against him and says he would have asked for temporary release before. The commission considering the charges, however, has made no report although he has requested them to do so; therefore, upon the advice of his physicians requests leave of absence.

WOULD NOT SIT DOWN.

Judge Bole and Lawyer Morrison Enliven County Court Proceedings.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 3.—The Royal Commissioners on epidemic diseases opened session this morning at 11 o'clock in the court house, in Judge Bole's chambers, many being present.

The customs returns last month were as follows: Imports, dutiable goods, $35,124; free goods, $5253... Total imports, $40,378. Duty collected, $9,446.87. Other revenues, $15,341.40. Total collections, $24,788.27. Exports, $20,456.

The market wharf will be publicly opened to-morrow morning. Freight in large quantities is arriving and prospects are good.

Doubts exist as to whether the new morning paper, the Post, will appear at all. There is no conclusive sign of it yet.

A lively scene was witnessed in the county court yesterday. Lawyer Aulay Morrison contradicted Judge Bole and would not sit down when ordered to do so by the judge. He was then ordered to be removed by the sheriff, which was promptly done. Afterwards the affair was quietly settled, the judge and lawyer shaking hands.

COMPLIMENTED THE CITY.

Chief Justice Begbie Pleased With Vancouver's Health Regulations.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 3.—Evidence taken yesterday before the Royal Commission elicited nothing additional to what had been heard. All the medical men favored the general provincial regulations, or, as Dr. McGuigan put it, "anything that injunctions can be got out against." In closing the session Chief Justice Begbie complimented Inspector Huntly and the city upon the efficient manner in which the recent epidemic had been handled.

The city is finding difficulty in selling the local improvement debentures, and the brokers decline to handle them, unless guaranteed by the city, and this the charter does not allow them to do. The debentures will probably have to be held over till the charter is amended. Work on the streets, however, authorized by by-law, has begun.

The city council will refund the poll tax collected from the fire department.

E. Gold yesterday sued the Bank of British Columbia for $400, the amount of a cheque cashed, which he claims was forged. Judgment in full was given the plaintiff.

The by-law granting a bonus to the B. I. & F. V. Railway has been attacked in the courts because the Court of Revision made a general reduction of the assessment, whether appeals were entered or not, thereby bringing assessments of the same below $500, debarring them from voting on by-laws. The council will hold a special meeting to-night, when two new by-laws will be introduced, one to be voted on assessment roll, before the general election, the other on the roll after.

The Bank of Montreal will open a branch at Vernon, with S. A. Henderson as manager.

Crushed by Poverty.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Mrs. J. Johnson and her 15-year-old son were found dead in their home this morning. The boy had been shot three times, and the mother once. It is supposed that Mrs. Johnson first killed the boy, then took her own life. Her husband left her about a year ago and she has been in destitute circumstances. The bodies were badly decomposed, and it is believed the suicide occurred a week ago, since which time neither has been seen.

Left Three Millions.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Surrogate Ransom to-day rendered a decision admitting the will of Mrs. Elizabeth W. Coles to probate. Mrs. Coles died last year leaving an estate valued at $3,000,000. In the will she ignored her brother Edward, 33 years old. To his children she willed $500,000, while the remainder of the estate she left to other members of the family, with the exception of certain charitable bequests.

Via the Nicaraguan Canal.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce to-day a communication was received from the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce asking the co-operation of the New York chamber in the establishment of steamship rates from Pacific ports via the Nicaraguan canal. It was laid over.

Influencing Votes.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Edward Sheehy and Charles E. Simmons, commissioners of charities and corrections, have been arrested on warrents issued by Commissioner Duell on the charge of influencing paupers on Randall's Island to register.

New York for Cleveland.

ALBANY, Nov. 3.—Governor Flower said to-day in reply to a question regarding the political campaign: "What do I think of the situation? Why, we will carry this state for Cleveland by 50,000 majority.

THE WARSHIP HOWE LOST.

The Magnificent Vessel Driven Upon the Rocks at Seven Knots an Hour.

Interesting Silver Census of Most of the Banks in the United Kingdom.

Fatal Railway Accident Near Liverpool—An Allan Line Steamer Ashore.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—Further advices from Ferroll, where the British warship Howe is stranded, state that two of her compartments are full of water, and it is doubtful whether she will get off the bar. The Howe struck while steaming seven knots an hour. The fires in two of the stoke holes were immediately extinguished by the torrents of water that poured in through the rent at the bottom. The water-tight doors were at once closed and the steam pumps set at work, but they failed to overcome the volume of water entering the ship, and it soon flooded three stoke holes and the port engine room. The ship has a great hole in her hull abreast of the after stoke hole. Divers have been to the rock on which the ship rests, passing through the hole in her hull.

Slander in Army Circles.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The trial of a suit for damages for slander, brought by Mrs. Leader, wife of Lieut. Leader, of the British army, against Mrs. Smythe, wife of Major-General Gibbons Smythe, was begun in the Queen's Bench division of Her Majesty's high court of justice to-day. The husbands of both ladies were present when the trial began. The defense was that when the alleged slanderous words were spoken they were true in substance. Mr. Lockwood, Queen's counsel, appeared for Mrs. Leader. He held that the issue had become more serious in view of the fact that General and Mrs. Smythe justified the scandal. He added that the charge against Mrs. Leader was made by Mrs. Smythe in the shop of Mr. Dibdin, between October and November, 1891, when a broach was shown her. She said it was her property and had been stolen by Mrs. Leader while the latter was visiting her in the autumn of 1891. Mrs. Leader went into Mrs. Smythe's dressing room and it was there, according to Mrs. Smythe's story, that the broach was stolen. Mrs. Leader shortly afterwards went to Madras with her husband and knew nothing of the grave charges against her until they had become widespread at home.

Census of Silver.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—A census taken by the Institute of Bankers of the silver coin held by the banks in the United Kingdom shows a total of £4,548,725; Out of 4589 banks only 92 failed to report. The aggregate in excess of the average requirements is 1,222,545. The census is the most complete and most reliable ever taken in the United Kingdom.

Will Gather Information.

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—Hon. J. A. Ouimet, Minister of Public Works, and Mrs. Ouimet, leave for New York to-day. While there the minister will embrace the opportunity of making a personal inspection of the quarantine arrangements at that port, with a view of gathering all the information which may be obtained for the Canadian quarantines.

Ashore in the St. Lawrence.

MONTREAL, Nov. 3.—The Allan liner Sarmatian, Captain Johnston, bound for Glasgow, went ashore at Varennes this morning. Varennes is about 13 miles down the river on the south side. Tugs and lighters have gone to her assistance.

Canada and Newfoundland.

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—The Canadian delegates left at noon to-day to meet the Newfoundland delegation to settle the commercial troubles between both colonies. It is expected that the first meeting will be on Monday next.

A Nitrate Princess.

LONDON, Nov. 3.—The only daughter of Col. North, the nitrate king, was married to Mr. Lockett, a merchant of Liverpool, to-day, at Elham, Kent, where Col. North's residence is situated.

Electrocuted the Horse.

MONTREAL, Nov. 3.—A trolley wire broke at Cote St. Antoine to-day. A horse attached to one of Kerry & Watson's wagons came in contact with it and was struck dead instantly.

Fatal Railway Collision.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 3.—As a train on the Mersey railway was leaving the ferry station it ran into a locomotive and was wrecked. Three persons were killed and 50 injured.

Killed in the Stampede.

VIENNA, Nov. 3.—A panic occurred in the church of the village of Vinagora this morning, and 25 persons were crushed to death in the struggle to get out of the building.

An Alarming Increase.

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—The total number of Chinese who entered Canada and paid the poll tax of $50 each, during the fiscal year ending June 30th last was 3276; against 2114 in previous year.

No Reply Yet.

OTTAWA, Nov. 3.—It is stated on good authority that no reply has yet been received from the Russian government in explanation of the seizure of Canadian sealers.

A Lucky Actor.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Eugene Robinson, who plays the title role in "Paul Kauvar" has fallen heir to $100,000 by the death of an old uncle in Trinidad, Col. The news reached yesterday in Mr. Robinson's absence "on the road," and all the afternoon friends were sending him congratulatory telegrams. The windfall was unexpected, as Mr. Robinson did not know of the old gentleman's existence until 16 months ago. The uncle who left the fortune was well-known in Colorado.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere

BILLIARDS.

SCHAEFER'S MARVELOUS PERFORMANCE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Maurice Daly, who reached Paris with J. R. Herser, is now investigating the billiard situation there. Neither has done any playing so far. The later Paris newspapers report an extraordinary performance by Wizard Schaefer at Vignaux Academy. He was matched to play Piot at balk line 200 points up. The latter being allowed 60 points. The game was played immediately after Vignaux had beaten the Wizard by 100 to 30. Schaefer won the lead against Piot and finished his total score of 200 in a single break, a performance he had not before equalled. The Paris newspapers reported the score as follows: "Schaefer, 200; total, 200; average, 200; Piot receiving 60." What made the feat more remarkable is that the shots were made all over the table, and not by the first stroke. Schaefer told the spectators who crowded around him afterwards that there was something the matter with the handle of his cue when he started out, and that he did not have time to change. A large amount of money changed hands on the match. Piot was the favorite.

SHORT LOCALS.

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in a Condensed Form.

Drill of the Uniform Rank, K. of P., this evening.

An enjoyable evening was spent at the children's concert last night.

Promenade concert and dance by Victoria City Band at Philharmonic Hall on Saturday.

In October, 1858, books were taken from the public library: Gentlemen, 996; ladies, 862. Daily average, 72.

A gang of corporation men were at work on James Bay bridge to day removing the mud. Several tons were taken off the structure.

Postmaster Shakespeare will lecture on Monday, Nov. 14th, at Centennial Methodist church. Subject: Around the World. Stereopticon views.

On the evening of Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 10th, a grand cantata will be given in the Pandora Avenue Methodist church. It is to be a musical treat.

At Maple Bay on Wednesday of last week, Geo. Thompson of Nanaimo and Amy A. Kersley of Chemainus were married. Rev. C. H. M. Sutherland tied the nuptial knot.

The attention of the pound keeper is drawn to the fact that several owners of cows in James Bay ward allow the animals to roam about the streets, instead of tying them up on their own lots.

The case against James Owens, trustee of Tolmie school, for using abusive language to a workman on the grounds, was withdrawn. The case for trespass comes up to-morrow at 11 o'clock in the provincial court.

The Seattle Board of Health very quickly dealt with a question similar to one which Victoria's board has had under consideration for a long time. Recently a man whose house had been quarantined and then fumigated, put in a claim for $1500. The claim was very promptly rejected by a full vote of the board.

PERSONAL.

Visitors and Passengers to and from the City and Province

James King went to the Sound last evening.

Mayor Beaven leaves for the Sound this evening.

R. P. Rithet returned from Vancouver last night.

D. W. Morrow returned last evening from the Sound.

Dr. Hamilton, who has been quite sick, is improving.

R. Begg, of Kerr & Begg, has returned from the East.

Mr. and Mrs. Imbert-Terry, London, are registered at the Driard.

Miss Stanley left for London, Ont., this morning over the C.P.R.

Miss Mallette was a passenger from the Sound yesterday evening.

J. P. Wells was a passenger home on the City of Kingston yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Palmer and Miss Carmody of Chemainus are at the Driard.

Geo. R. Goodbody, Francis H. Davis, Dublin, arrived in town last night.

M. J. Henry, the Washington real estate man and broker, is in the city.

E. C. Baker was a passenger up on the City of Kingston yesterday afternoon.

Capt. John Irving returned from the Sound last evening and went over to Vancouver this morning.

Miss Bell, who has been visiting friends in this city, left for the East this morning over the C.P.R.

Mrs. Robert Kidner, of London, Ont., is in the city on a visit to her sister, Mrs. J. W. Winnett, Seaview villa.

W. H. Roe, Winnipeg; W. A. Dearborough, J. S. Bemorell and wife, San Francisco; W. J. Waterman, England are registered at the Driard.

Hugh Grant leaves for Valdez Island on the Danube. Mine host Jensen of the Dallas accompanies him. The latter will enjoy a hunt for a week or two.

W. B. Goodwin, the well known Seattle athlete, arrived in the city last evening. Mr. Goodwin was quite severely hurt at a football practice recently, and is still on crutches.

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VICTORIA'S SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

The Sewerage Commissioners Present Their Report to the City Council.

A Long Report Presented by Sanitary Engineer Mohun—The Work Completed.

Everybody in attendance at last evening's meeting of the council was prepared for a long session, as an unusually large amount of business was on the files for disposal. There were present, Mayor Beaven in the chair, and Aldermen Munn, Hunter, Lovell, Bragg, Baker, Hall, Styles, McKillican and Humber. The minutes of the last meeting were adopted.

The Mayor reported that he had received accounts amounting to $1019.95, in connection with the sewerage work, some of which were endorsed by the sewerage commissioners. He asked the council to decide what was to be done regarding the accounts. The Mayor's report was laid on the table for further consideration.

THE SEWERAGE SYSTEM.

The clerk read the following letter from the sewerage commissioners:—

CITY HALL, Nov. 1, 1892.

His Worship the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen:

GENTLEMEN:—We beg to present to your honorable body the report of the sanitary engineer on that portion of the sewerage works constructed by Mr. McBean, accepted and now ready for operation under such restrictions and supervision as are recommended in the report.

With regard to connecting buildings with the public sewers there seems to be urgent necessity for a by-law regulating not only the construction of the sewer as far as the street line or building, but also the internal plumbing of any erection designed for habitation.

The positions of all connections should be determined by the sanitary engineer, laid down on the large maps, and constructed under competent supervision.

We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt during the last few days of copies of three resolutions which appear to have passed the council on the 24th, the 29th and the 31st of August. That of the 24th states that the corporation will not be responsible for any liabilities on sewerage works in excess of the sums realized by the sale of the debentures and desires the commissioners to place to the credit of the corporation sufficient funds to provide for any payments which may become due under the contracts.

We beg to point out to your honorable body that the Corporation had at the date of your resolution entered into contracts amounting, with their necessary expenditure for engineering, etc., to over $400,000, to provide for which less than $265,000 has been furnished to the Commissioners.

We trust that you will feel that the Commissioners cannot be considered responsible for the acts of the Corporation, who alone let all contracts, but failed to provide the funds necessary to carry them out.

Referring to the latter part of the resolution, we are very doubtful as to our power to comply with the direction of the Council. If we understand our position accurately, we are trustees of certain funds, both on behalf of the ratepayers and the contractors, and have no power to delegate our duties to others.

With reference to the Council's resolution of the 29th of August dismissing employees, a copy was received by us on the 28th of October. The only point arising from the resolution is as to the summary discharge of Mr. Jordan. This gentleman was employed by us under sub-section 2, clause 2, of the Commissioners of Sewers By-Law, 1892, which distinctly states that any person so appointed is entitled to 30 days' notice of dismissal.

We understand that Mr. McBean's contract was terminated on the 31st of August last; the official intimation to this effect was received by us on the 28th of October.

We should be glad if the members of the City Council would visit the works with the commissioners and engineer at an early date.

We beg to call the attention of the council to the vital importance of taking immediate steps to continue and complete the whole system of sewerage for the city, and in making connections with that portion of the system now completed, it should be remembered that the most economical results will be obtained when the sewers are most nearly working to their proper capacity. It is therefore highly important that as many connections as practicable should be made with the least possible delay.

The Council will observe that the amount expended to the 31st October is $245,054.93.

The amount on the 31st October to the credit of the commissioners was $19,649.18. From this amount has to be deducted the sum of $575, checks signed by us for October accounts, leaving a total balance to-day of $19,074.18.

The sum due to Mr. McBean at the expiration of the term of maintenance will be $17,741.92, provided no further repairs are required.

In conclusion, we beg to state that the work we believe has been carried on in a satisfactory and economical manner and regret that the want of funds alone has prevented the sewerage of that portion of the city contracted for being completed.

We have the honor to be, gentlemen, your obedient servants,

(Sgd.) J. H. TURNER,
THOS. EARLE,
JNO. TEAGUE,
Sewerage Commissioners.

SANITARY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
City Hall, October 26, 1892.

The Mayor pointed out that the by-law the commissioners mentioned as being necessary had been passed some time ago and the engineers were already at work.

On motion it was decided to hold a special meeting to consider the communication.

The following report from Sanitary Engineer Mohun was read:

The Sewerage Commissioners:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to report that the sewerage works contracted for by Mr. McBean are now reported by him to be ready for acceptance. I have been informed by Mr. McBean that the council terminated his contract some time ago; as no official information to that effect has reached this office, I applied to the City Clerk, who has shown me a copy of the resolution terminating Mr. McBean's contract, which passed the council on the 31st of August last.

A very careful examination has been made of the whole works, and, generally speaking, they are in very good condition; but a slight settlement has taken place at the manhole at View and Vancouver. It is not considered by Mr. Wilmot or myself that it will affect the velocity when the connections are made, and it is not proposed to do anything in the way of alteration at present, but have it watched carefully during the term of maintenance, and if, when in operation, found faulty, repaired. Thanks to the Stanford joint, which permits of a considerable amount of settlement, the pipes are uninjured.

A few trifling repairs to manholes have been made. The following are the works which have been executed, viz:—

Valve chamber at outlet, with 195 ft. of 22 in., and 116 ft. of 16 in. steel mains laid in concrete. Two lengths of 22 in. pipe are on the ground ready for laying; there is, however, no danger in using the outfall as it is at present, and it is proposed that these two lengths should be laid as soon as the tides permit.

OUTFALL SEWERS.

Three thousand two hundred and forty-five lineal feet of 2 ft. 10 in. x 4 ft. 3 in. sewer.

Three thousand three hundred and ninety-four lineal feet of 2 ft. 4 in. x 3 ft. 6 in. sewer.

Two thousand six hundred and five lineal feet of 2 ft. 0 in. x 3 ft. 0 in. sewer.

Total, 9244 lineal feet of egg-shaped sewer with manholes, ventilators and flush-tanks complete.

PIPE SEWERS.

The Cook street main is 18 in. in diameter, and is laid from the junction of Southgate and Cook streets, northward on the latter street as far as View; at this point it will be hereafter joined by a branch main from the north.

View street is followed as far as Vancouver with a 15-inch pipe, receiving two smaller mains, which converge here; first, the Quadra street, following Vancouver to Yates, and westward on Yates, ultimately to Quadra, and thence northerly; second, the Blanchard street main, following View to Blanchard and thence northerly.

The Humboldt street 20 in. main joins the outfall sewer at Maclure street, which will at this point receive the sewage from James Bay, and passing through lot 1270 follows Humboldt to Wharf, and Johnson to Store. From east of Gordon street to Fort street, this pipe is laid in a continuous rock tunnel. An 18 in. main has been laid on Store street and Chatham as far as Government, at which point the sewage of the low-lying districts is received; thence Chatham is followed to Douglas with a 15in., and above Douglas to Pembroke with a 12in. sewer.

Laterals connected with the Humboldt street main have been laid on Cormorant, Government, Fort, Broad, Douglas, Courtney, Kane, View and Yates streets.

Laterals connected with the Cook street main have been laid on Richardson, Vancouver, Scoresby, Bellot, Belcher, Coutts, Meares, Fort, Quadra and Blanchard streets.

The following list gives the length of the pipe sewers of different sizes:

Seven thousand six hundred and fifty-four lineal feet of 8in sewers.

Three hundred and two lineal feet of 9in. sewers.

Four thousand four hundred and twenty-eight lineal feet of 10in. sewers.

One thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven lineal feet of 12in. sewers.

One thousand three hundred and forty-two lineal feet of 15in. sewers.

Five thousand and twenty-seven lineal feet of 18in. sewers.

Three thousand five hundred and eighty-three lineal feet of 20in sewers.

Total length, 24,313 lineal feet, or, including outfall sewer, nearly 6½ miles.

In connection with these sewers, 79 manholes, 67 ventilators and one large flush tank for outfall sewer have been built.

In addition to the above, 624 ft. of 9in. pipe sewer, with two manholes and two ventilators, have been constructed as a portion of the system at private expense.

Exclusive of the 624 feet of 6in. sewer above referred to, the work executed comprises, under the head of excavation, 2455 cubic yards of earth, 7 cubic yards of hardpan and 726 cubic yards of rock.

The tunnel beneath Moss street was 2038 feet in length, of which 921 feet ran through earth, 319 feet through hardpan and 798 feet through rock. There were two curves in this tunnel, and so accurately was the work set out by Mr. Wilmot that the whole error, when the tunnel was opened throughout, was less than one-half an inch either in grade or direction.

1635 cubic yards of earth and 73½ feet of rock have been used for filling, principally in low places, to afford adequate protection to the sewers.

Of the 2ft. 10in. x 4ft. 3in. sewer, 47 per cent. is built in earth, 37 per cent. in rock, and 16 per cent. in hardpan.

The 2ft. 4in. x 3ft. 6in. and the 2ft. 0in. x 3ft. 0in. sewers run through earth the entire distance. Some little trouble was met with in constructing the former owing to the large quantity of running sand encountered.

Of the 30in. sewer, nearly 63 per cent.; of the 18in. over 16 per cent.; of the 15in. 12 per cent.; of the 10in. nearly 16 per cent.; of the 9in. nearly 16 per cent., and of the 8in. nearly 9 per cent.; have been laid in rock. The latter, however, does not afford a fair basis of comparison, as several of these sewers, when completed, will run through a considerably greater proportion of rock. No rock has been encountered in laying the 12in. sewer.

In future estimates it is considered that not less than 25 per cent. should be assumed to be laid in rock.

In the construction there has been used concrete as follows: 5724 yards of 5 to 1; 41 yards of 2 to 1; 3 yards of 3 to 1; 33 yards of 7 to 1; 630 yards of 14 to 1.

The accidents which have occurred during construction have not been numerous. A cave in took place in Moss street near the north end of the tunnel at the time of the unprecedented rainfall last winter, during which the pumping engine broke down, also some 20in. pipes on Johnson and Humboldt street were found to be broken, and have been replaced as follows:—Johnson street, 78 straight pipes, 12 junctions; lot 1270, 39 straight pipes, 12 junctions; manhole 19 to manhole 20, 108 straight pipes, manhole 20 to manhole 21, 71 straight pipes, 6 junctions; 21A to 22, 53 straight pipes, 2 junctions. With reference to the breakage of these pipes, I see no reason to doubt the correctness of the opinion expressed by Messrs. Keefer, Tilton, Wilmot and myself in the report dated 30th July last, a copy of which is appended.

All the additional expense incurred in replacing these pipes has been charged to the contractor.

Of personal injuries inflicted, I am sorry to say that while in a manhole on Fort street, a man had his leg broken. This was caused by a street car striking a plank on which two men were standing, and throwing them into the excavation upon the unfortunate man below. One man thawing dynamite on Douglas street caused an explosion. No one was seriously hurt, but the author of the accident had to be sent to the hospital for a time, but soon recovered. There was a heavy breakage of glass, some 180 panes, all of which was replaced by the contractor within 36 hours.

There are at the present moment from 400 to 500 buildings, probably nearer the latter than the former number, which may be at once connected with the sewers.

When providing these connections for operating the sewers, I beg most respectfully to call your attention to the imperative necessity which exists for

(1.) Frequent flushing throughout the system;

(2.) Regular and frequent inspection of all manholes; the emptying of all dirt trays and boxes at least once a week, and oftener, if found necessary, in stormy weather;

(3.) For securing, by proper supervision, that all work done in connection with the sewers, whether on public or private property, is efficient.

With regard to the first point, you are well aware that the efficiency of the separate system is largely dependent upon regular flushing, and it was proposed, as is usual, to place automatic flushing tanks at the head of each sewer. The syphons have been provided, but the flush-tanks have not been built for want of the necessary funds; provisions will therefore have to be made either for the construction of these tanks or for the daily flushing by hand. As has been pointed out before, the sewers having been constructed with an eye to a much greater population in the future, will be found larger than necessary at the present time, and consequently more water will be required now than will be needed in the future, when the sewers are working more nearly to their proper capacity.

With regard to the second point, one man with occasional assistance should be employed constantly, to see that everything remains in working order, to empty dirt trays and boxes, to remove any obstruction from the manholes, and to see that the pipes are required; for, though a system of sewerage should be, and to a certain extent is automatic, it always requires careful and constant attention.

Respecting the third point. A by-law to regulate connection of buildings, etc., with the public sewers was drafted a long time ago and the passage of such a by-law is now urgent. A further safeguard against the intrusion of sewer gas, is the placing of a flap-valve in the manholes, as provided in the specification, and I would press upon your attention the extreme desirability of doing this at once; the cost will be trifling, probably not exceeding $400, and the danger arising from the accumulation of sewer gas on the higher levels would be avoided.

The total amount of Mr. McBean's contract is $192,396.78, of which he has received in cash or been charged for repairs. $174,654.86, leaving a balance

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Mr. J. G. Anderson

Of Scottdale, Pa., a veteran of the 11th Penn. Vols., says, as a result of war service he

Suffered Every Minute

From liver and kidney troubles, catarrh in the head, rheumatism and distress in his stomach. Everything he ate **seemed like lead.** Sleep was restless, and in the morning he seemed more tired than when he went to bed. He says:

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AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION

Furniture, Etc.

MONDAY, NOV. 7,

AT 11 A. M.

I have been instructed by the Right Rev. George Hills, D.D., Lord Bishop of Columbia, to sell by auction at Bishop's Close, Church Hill, all his Household Furniture, viz:

DRAWING ROOM.

Walnut piano, by Hopkins of London, selected by the great composer, Blumenthal; music wagon, easy chairs, arm chairs, mahogany writing table, tea tables, Davenport writing desk, folding tables, 2 mirrors, ottomans, whatnots, pictures, Brussels, carpets, ornaments, etc.

DINING ROOM.

Large mahogany table, 10 mahogany chairs and arm chair in leather, handsome dinner service, sideboard, carpet, glassware, cutlery, case of 400 geological specimens by Professor Tenent, with catalogue, double-barrelled gun and case, 2 small medicine chests, Tilton & McFarlane safe, green dessert service, fancy china service, lamps, cutlery, glassware, Brussels carpet, etc.

HALL.

Lawn tennis rackets in case, umbrella stand, oil cloth, 2 terra cotta vases, croquet sets.

OFFICE.

Mahogany leather chair, small chair invalid chair, sofa, wardrobe (or press), 1 walnut chest with drawers, vases, carpets, etc.

BEDROOMS.

Brass bedstead and bedding, 4-post bedstead (mahogany) and bedding, iron bedsteads, three-quarter bedsteads, double washstands, chamber sets, mirrors, feather beds and pillows, commode, rosewood chairs, cane sofa, walnut table and drawers, mahogany dressing table, easy chairs, ladies' trunks, etc.

KITCHEN.

Range with hot water connections, stove, assorted crockery, tinware, filters, lamps, churns, milk pans, etc.

OUTSIDE.

A nice English phaeton, buggy and harness, dump cart and harness, hay chopper, scythes, timothy hay, potatoes, vise, grindstone, new side saddle, saddle bags, chickens, etc. A fine well-bred cow, also good milker, with calf in January.

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CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

Victoria, Oct. 20th, 1892.

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VICTORIA'S SEWERAGE.

(Continued from page 2.)

due to him at the expiration of the term of maintenance, provided no further sums are required for repairs, of $17,741.92.

The following is a statement of the expenditure to date:

Preliminary expenditure..$		$ 10,607 10
Commissioners' fees.....	1,290 00	
Secretary	220 00	
Treasurer	290 00	
		1,900 00
Chief Engineer.....	5,250 00	
Resident Engineer.....	2,850 00	
Draughtsman.....	2,092 00	
Inspectors.....	5,954 76	
Rodmen, tools, etc.....	1,039 14	
		17,185 90
Office expenses—		
Stationery.....	419 05	
Clerical assistance.....	35 50	
Sundries.....	300 58	
Fuel.....	51 00	
Janitor.....	210 00	
Advertising and printing.	151 60	
		1,168 73
Testing pipes.....		309 80
		$ 31,121 23
Value of works executed		
A. McBean's contract.....	192,396 78	
Paid by L. Redon.....	4,071 31	
B. C. Pottery Co	32,086 42	
Making pipe joints	5,127 53	
Doulton & Co.....	2,053 74	
Total value of works executed.....$	235,655 78	
Amount paid on contract		
A. McBean to 31 Oct. 1892..	174,654 86	
B. C. Pottery Co.....	32,086 42	
Making pipe joints.....	5 138 68	
Doulton & Co.....	2,053 74	
		213,933 70
		$245,054 39

The total amount to the credit of the commissioners at the Bank of British North America on the 31st of October, will be, according to Mr. Kent's statement, $19,649.18. If a sum sufficient to cover Mr. McBean's claim, viz.: $17,400 be left on deposit, the commissioners will have a small balance of $2349.18 to meet liabilities.

You will see that the cost of engineering, etc., exclusive of the preliminary expenses, has been 8½ per cent. on the value of the work, including commissioners' fees, etc., which I respectfully submit, proves that the works have been carried on most economically.

I have the honor particularly to call your attention to the fact that by far the most costly portion of the system has been practically completed and ready for use.

The outfall works and sewers, without which any other portion of the system would be useless, have cost over $93,000.

The method adopted in paying for the trenching can be best exemplified by an example. Assume a trench to be 15 feet deep, of which 10 feet from the surface is in earth and the lower 5 feet in the rock, then referring to the contractor's schedule rates it is found that a trench in earth 10 feet deep cost, say $1 per lineal foot. A trench in rock 10 ft. deep costs, say $5 per lineal foot. A trench in rock 15 feet deep costs, say $10 per lineal foot. Then the rate per lineal foot of such a trench would be $1.00 plus $10.00, minus $5.00, equal to $6.00.

Accompanying this report is a map showing the area sewered. Large plans, to a scale of 50 feet per inch, are in course of completion, which will show the position of every building in the city, the lines and sizes of all sewers, including house connections, the position of all junctions, ventilators, manholes and flush-tanks, and whether the sewer is laid in rock or not; while the depth at any point can be easily ascertained from the sections.

The value of the stock on hand, paid for, is estimated as follows:

Forty-eight feet 22in. pipe at Clover Point.....$	115 20
Two ventilator covers at pipe shed.	64 46
Sixty syphons.....	2,053 74
Sewer pipe.....	10,616 85
One pipe shed and plant, say.....	760 00
	$ 13,600 25

The enormous amount of rock, and very hard rock, in this city renders a heavy expenditure for sewer construction unavoidable; but it must be remembered that costly as such a work is, a single epidemic would directly or indirectly entail a loss upon the city, to which the expenditure for sewerage, spread over a term of years as it should be, would be trifling.

I beg respectfully to suggest that arrangements be made with any members of the City Council who may be desirous of inspecting the works to visit them.

I have the honor to be, etc.,
EDWARD MOHUN,
Chief Engineer.

The report will be taken up with the commissioners' report at a special meet of the council.

REPORTS

The finance committee recommended the issuance of warrants for accounts amounting to $3,169.84. The recommendation was adopted.

The street committee recommended that Rockford avenue and San Juan avenue, be graded, the work to be done under the local improvement system. Other improvements were recommended to be done under the same system. The committee enclosed with the report a letter from Hon. C. E. Pooley, Q.C. for Mrs. Lee complaining of a drain from the Jubilee quarantine station.

Ald. Baker thought the Jubilee Hospital directors had control of the drain.

Ald. McKillican pointed out that the Jubilee hospital had a perfect right to run their drain through the street, and the council would have to attend to the drain.

There was some discussion on a clause of the health by-law. The Mayor explained that the word "not" had been left out in the printed by-law.

The committee's report was adopted, and the clerk requested to forward a copy of Mr. Pooley's to the directors of the Jubilee Hospital, stating that in the opinion of the council the drain is detrimental to the public health.

Chief Engineer Deasy's monthly report was read. He recommended that the fire alarm system be put in good condition before the cold weather comes on. He also suggested that investigations be held after suspicious fires. The chemical engine had done good work.

Ald. Munn thought it advisable to hold investigations to inquire into the cause of fires.

The report was received and filed.

Caretaker Johnson of the market, reported the receipt of $69.50 for fees during the month of October.

Ald. Bragg said there had been a marked improvement in the market during the last month. When the rents are added to the fees the receipts are swelled to $247.50.

Ald. Humber was glad to see the improvement in the market, but it would be a long while before it paid.

Ald. Munn objected to Ald. Humber's habit of running down the market. He had been speaking to the Saanich farmers about the market and they agreed that if a market day was established it would be a success. When the Saanich railway was completed the market would be a paying institution.

BY-LAWS.

Ald. Hall's by-law to extend Broad street was read a first and second time, and the council went into committee to consider it. The by-law was reported complete with amendments. The report was adopted and the by-law finally passed.

The Broad street local improvement assessment by-law was also considered in committee. The committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

COMMUNICATIONS.

Mr. Willis Bond called the council's attention to the fact that he had been ill for several days and soliciting a call.

One alderman suggested that the health officer deal with the matter while another moved that it be referred to the Old Folk's Home committee. The latter motion was carried.

Ald. Baker moved that Princess avenue be graded and a sidewalk laid under the provisions of the local improvement by-law. The motion was carried.

Ald. Hunter asked leave to introduce a by-law respecting the disposal of the municipal revenue. Carried.

The council adjourned at 11:30.

Templars of Temperance.

Victoria Council No. 2, R. T. of T., will meet in St. Andrew's and Caledonian Hall, Blanchard street, on Monday evening at 8 p.m. As this is the first meeting in the new hall every member is requested to be present. A new system of arranging the quarter's programme will be announced.

Bishop Hills' Departure.

Right Rev. Bishop Hills left for England this morning. He was accompanied to Vancouver by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven, Canon Beanlands, Rev. W. H. P. Arden and Rev. J. B. Hewetson. At Vancouver the bishop will be met by Bishop Sillitoe and the clergy of Vancouver. He will then proceed direct to London where he will remain a short time before taking up a residence in the neighborhood of Dover. Yesterday afternoon the executive committee of the diocesan synod and the church wardens of St. John's church presented the bishop with addresses.

The Art Interchange.

A cleverly-painted head of a Mulatto child, by Otto Toaspern, is one of the three color supplements to The Art Interchange for November. The subject is comparatively new, and the artist has treated it in a masterly way. A second painting shows a mass of sweet peas in a wooden shoe, and a third gives a pretty study of birds. Holiday workers will find in the magazine and its supplements a wealth of designs for doyleys, German favors, five o'clock tea service, blotting pad covers, table runners, comfort cushions, magazine covers, match boxes, plates, etc. Those interested in home adornment will find charming bits of furniture—colonial and modern; suggestions for ceiling decoration, mantels and room interiors. For the art student there are special designs and careful instruction in water and oil color and mineral painting, and an especially excellent series of illustrated papers on drawing.

The Art Interchange is for sale by all newsdealers. Price, 35cts. per number.

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They believe in themselves. Isn't it worth a trial? Isn't any trial preferable to catarrh?

CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. Walla Walla from San Francisco—A McGregor & Co, Brackman & Ker, B Levy, Brown Bros, Cowan & Wilson, Colbert & Warner, C Morley, D H Ross & Co, D R Chungranes, Dodwell & Co, E B Marvin & Co, E J Salmon & Co, Gum Fook Yuen, Gee Via Gua & Co, Hudson Bay Co, Henry Short & Son, Hop Wo, H Cooley, H Saunders, H Mansell, J & A Clearihue & Co, John Barnsley & Co, John Metson, L Dickinson, C Marks, L Goodacre, Langley & Co, Marvin & Tilton, M Cohn, Nicholas & R, P McQuade & Son, R P Rithet & Co, B Baker & Son, S Leiser, Spratt & Gray, S L Kelly & Co, S Schoen, T Allice & Co, Thos Earle, T N Hibben & Co, Vaio & Brooks, W Jackson, Jr & Co, W McChudley, W J Pendray, Yee Yuen, W H Kinnister, F R Robinson, Jas Harling, Jameson & Co, Thos Dunn & Co, W Tietjen, Sinclair & Cair, Baker & Leeson, C Anderson, F R Stewart, J G Hutchinson, McMillan & Hamilton, R V Winch, C S Philp, W G Warren, Wells, Fargo & Co.

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Drink Victoria Lager.

Answered Collectively.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 3.—In response to innumerable letters and telegrams of sympathy received by him during the last few weeks President Harrison has made public a card in which he expresses his regret at his present inability to make personal acknowledgment of each one, but, on behalf of himself and family, expresses the deepest gratitude for these indications of good will and sympathy.

How to Save Bits of Soap.

Throw them into some special receptacle and when nearly full set it on the back of the stove to melt. Dip a cup or mold into cold water and pour in liquid soap to harden into a cake. Another way to utilize the bits is to put them into a muslin bag or tin soap shaker and use in dish washing.

How to Know Common Measures.

Copy this scale and place in the kitchen where it can be seen. A tumblerful, half pint. A wineglassful, half gill. One quart sifted flour, 1 pound. One quart sifted cornmeal, 1 pound 2 ounces. One quart sifted powdered sugar, 1 pound 7 ounces. One quart closely packed butter, 2 pounds. One quart granulated sugar, 1 pound 9 ounces. Butter size of an egg, 2 ounces. Ten eggs weigh 1 pound. Four teacupfuls, 1 quart.

How to Squeeze Fruit Juice for Jelly.

To secure every drop of juice at the least expense of time and strength put the bag with the fruit into a colander set over a dish. Lay a plate right side up over the bag and put a weight on top. The pressure will remove all juice while you are busy at other things.

How to Make Bread Hash.

Chop your cold meat fine, scald twice as much bread and when drained dry mix with the meat. Put over the fire, adding pepper, salt, butter and enough cream or milk to make all soft. When hot it is ready to serve.

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WM. TEMPLEMAN,
GEO. BERRIDGE,
H. R. McINTYRE. } Trustees.

Victoria, Oct. 11, 1892.—4w.

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NEW DENVER.

There is apparently no distortion of facts to which the Colonist's brazen hardihood is not equal. Yesterday in commenting on the New Denver wagon road failure we stated that the purchasers of lots from the Government were under the impression that this road would be built, and that the Government took no step to remove that impression before the day of sale. To-day the organ says our statement was "a deliberate untruth," and that "the construction of the wagon road this year was never spoken of until months after the sale of New Denver, and the agitation has since been created." In another place it says:—

What representations the (Nakusp) owners may have made to parties purchasing we know not, but with regard to the purchasers in the New Denver townsite we do know for a fact that the construction of a wagon road this year from Nakusp was not at the time of the sale even thought of.

It is surprising to find even a servile organ like the Colonist perpetrating such falsehoods in the service of the Government. The colossal effrontery necessary for such an effort may easily be appreciated by the public, and especially by the people of Kootenay, who must know better than the Colonist what their own impressions were at the time of the New Denver sale. It so happens that there is incontrovertible evidence that the wagon road was thought of at the time the Government placed New Denver on the market. But look first at the stupidity of the Colonist's statement that the road was "never spoken of until months after the sale." The date of the sale was July 20, or only about three months ago, so the Colonist's "months after" must have been rather a remarkable period. There are a few other facts which we may mention for our neighbor's benefit. The TIMES' Kaslo correspondent wrote under date of June 27, or nearly a month before the sale as follows:—

It is thought that a passable wagon road will be got through yet this summer from Arrow Lake to Slocan. If so a considerable population will winter at Slocan Lake, and much of the mining supplies will go that way.

Our correspondent was evidently giving in this not only his own impression but the general belief entertained by the people of West Kootenay. When he mentioned Arrow Lake he of course meant the point now known as Nakusp. Here is another piece of evidence for the Colonist. In the Nakusp correspondence of the Revelstoke Star published on July 15 the following paragraph appears:—

A petition to the Provincial Government praying that the present trail to Slocan Lake be made into a wagon road is being circulated through West Kootenay, and has already received 200 signatures.

This was written at least a week before July 20, the date of the sale, and the petition spoken of must have been circulated for some time before that. How, then, can the Colonist have the hardihood to say that the wagon road was "never spoken of for months after the sale of New Denver?" The same correspondent, writing on or before July 20, said:—

If the new wagon road to Slocan goes through, and we fully expect it will, Nakusp will be booming by the middle of next month.

Most of the people who bought New Denver lots passed through Nakusp, and no doubt entertained the same belief as the people of that place. It must be remembered, however, that the Canadian Pacific owned and sold the townsite of Nakusp; there was an impression abroad that the railway and the Government were working together; and, as a matter of fact, there was some negotiation between them with a view to arranging for the joint construction of the wagon road from Nakusp to New Denver. We have one other quotation to make for the Colonist's benefit. In some Kootenay correspondence which appeared in its own columns on July 23rd the following paragraph appears:

New Denver is reached from Kaslo City, distant on the trail 29 miles, and from Nakusp, a new town just started on the Lower Arrow Lake, a distance of 18 miles by a bad trail, and eight miles across the Slocan Lake by row boat. The Government may, as it is their own town, possibly build a wagon road, which it is hoped will mend matters and make it more accessible.

That paragraph was written some days before the New Denver sale, since it came by mail from Nelson, yet the paper in which it appeared now says the road was not spoken of at the time. We have thus given quite enough evidence to support our statement that the people who bought New Denver lots were led to expect that this wagon road would be built, while neither the Colonist nor anybody else can show that the Government or its agents took the first step towards removing their impression. It was, as the Colonist might say, "months after" the sale that the Government found it could not build the road. The TIMES may be "profoundly ignorant" on this subject, but it is not so ignorant as to be unable to expose the barefaced fabrications of the Government organ.

As to the general subject of Kootenay development a few words will be sufficient. The organ asserts that the men who compose the Government "are doing their best to assist in the development of the country in a constitutional manner." All that the Government has done to develop slocan was to sell its New Denver lots for $28,000 and make the trail from Nakusp at a cost of $5000; the rest has been left to private enterprise. That is one way of developing the district. For the year 1891-92 the Government induced the Legislature to vote $20,000 for roads, bridges, etc., in West Kootenay. For the year 1892-93 it proposed and obtained a vote of $19,000 for the same purpose; yet everyone knows that there is more need for such works this year than last, while a larger appropriation would have been justified by the larger revenue from the district. Why was the reduction made if not for the purpose of taking revenge on Mr. Kellie? The Colonist will repeat its windy assertions many times before it persuades any of its readers that the members of the present Government "propose to mete out even-handed justice to all." The character of the Government is too well known.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Montreal Star:—The ghost of the farmers' distress stalks even in the banquet halls of the cities. Dr. W. T. Aikins, of Toronto, in responding to a toast at a recent banquet there, said that "he hoped the Methodists would soon realize their power in this garden of Canada. The farmers, however, could not say it was a garden with oats at 30 cents a bushel, wheat at 67 cents, property depreciated fifty per cent. in value, and when horses could not even be given away."

Says the Mail:—"It is doubtful if the custom of calling the Episcopal heads of the various Canadian Anglican dioceses Lord Bishops has ever been authorized by law. In England bishops become lords by virtue of the fact that they occupy seats in the Upper Chamber of Parliament. In the United States the title is not applied to bishops. The first Bishop of Nova Scotia did not assume the rank of a lord nor did he allow that expression to be applied towards him. In Quebec, however, it appears that the case is different. By letters patent, bearing date May 29, 1794, the title of Lord Bishop was conferred upon the then Bishop of Quebec, and it has since remained an appendage of the office. A democratic community should be careful of the title it recognizes."

Three state tickets are in the field in California, and there is a lively sort of battle going on, especially in San Francisco. The tickets seem to be respectively labelled Democrat, Republican and Non-Partizan. The journalistic champion of the first is the Examiner, of the second the Chronicle and of the third the Call. If we are to believe the Examiner and the Call, the "regular" Republicans of 'Frisco have been doing things in the way of stuffing the voters' lists that must fill with envy even the soul of a Canadian Tory manager. Kelly and Crimmins, the party "bosses," are credited with having placed 8000 bogus names on the lists for the city, each one of which is expected to yield a vote. The Call now announces that the Non-Partizan campaign committee has ordered a number of detective cameras, with which it is proposed to "spot" every "stuffer" who is bold enough to vote, whereafter he will be incontinently placed behind prison bars.

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The Victoria City band intends to give a promenade concert and dance at Philharmonic Hall on Saturday evening, November 5th. The evening of Guy Fawkes' day is going to be honored in unusual style this year. Professor Norris' trained dogs at the Victoria; Miss Howison's Burns entertainment at Sir William Wallace Hall, and the City Band concert.

CITY POLICE COURT.

An Impudent Chinaman Taken Down a Couple of Pegs.

Chas. McKay and David French, charged with drunkenness, did not appear in the police court this morning. Bail estreated.

Walter Barrington, drunk, was discharged.

Lam Hoy charged a city butcher with assault. The defence proved that the Celestial came into the butcher shop and began to handle the meat. The butcher objected, but the Celestial fingers still pawed away. The butcher pushed the Chinaman aside. A knife was drawn by the Celestial, whereupon the butcher's fist was planted under celestial optics. The operation was repeated on the nasal organ. Hence the charge of assault. Magistrate Dalby said that an assault had been made out, but it was the wrong person who brought the charge. The Chinaman was the aggressor, and his pigtailship was ordered to pay the costs.

BITTEN BY A BULLDOG.

How a Chinamen Received Payment for Sawing a Cord of Wood.

Tom Chow is the worse for an encounter with a bull-dog. The dog belongs to Mrs. Shaw. Tom Chow will bring the affair into the police court.

The celestial's story is that last week he was engaged by Mrs. Shaw to cut wood. Mrs. Shaw told him to call around again for the money. The Chinaman called on Monday. Mrs. Shaw wanted a further adjournment.

The chairman objected to further credit, claiming that he did business on a strictly cash basis. He demanded his money, but he received the affectionate embrace of a fierce bulldog, which the Celestial affirms Mr. Shaw set upon him. The man presents an almost unrecognizable appearance as a result of the bite.

Mrs. Shaw denies his story. Saying that the Chinamen armed himself with a stick and was about to use violence to her and another lady when the bulldog came to the rescue of his mistress. The police court will sift the stories.

A WHOLESALE DEALER.

A North Saanich Indian Who Has Been Making Intoxicants.

For several years the Indians of North Saanich have frequently been found drunk, but the provincial police, although they kept a sharp lookout, could not find out where the liquor was obtained. The saloon keepers were suspected of supplying the intoxicants, but it now turns out that they were in most cases innocent. The fact is, one or two Indians of the tribe have been running an illicit distillery and supplying the other members of the tribe. The liquor made by these Indians is more intoxicating than whiskey. It is made out of plum juice, into which is poured a few bottles of whiskey. The liquor is placed in air tight kegs and left to ferment for two or three months, when it is bottled and retailed to the Indians at a dollar a bottle.

Sergt. Langley yesterday received information that led him to suspect that Charley, one of the ranchers of the North Saanich tribe, had a stock of liquor on hand. He therefore, in company with Officer Hunter, visited the ranch. After a long search the officers found two kegs of the plum juice in Charley's chicken house. The kegs were mixed up among barrels containing fish and oil. Beside them were a lot of bottles ready to be filled.

Officer Hunter knocked the plug out of one of the barrels and in a second he was covered with foam. The kegs with their contents were seized and Charley placed in custody. The liquor had only been fermenting for a month, but when tested it rendered 14.3.

In the provincial court this morning Charley was fined $150 and costs for having the liquor in his possession.

Try the Indo-China blended tea, to be had only from Bowness & Creeden, 136 Government street.

Drink Victoria Lager.

Committed for Contempt.

A judgment debtor, who was examined in court to-day, refused to give required information respecting his assets, though he was repeatedly urged to do so by the legal gentleman examining him. Mr. Justice Walkem promptly ordered the sheriff to lock the offender up until such time as he would be in a fit state of mind to answer the questions put to him.

Leaving for the East.

On the eve of her departure for London, Ont., her former home, the many friends of Miss Annie Stanley gathered at the residence of Mr. G. W. Carson Henry street, to say good-bye. After the good things had been disposed of, singing and dancing were indulged in until the small hours in the morning, when everybody departed for home.

Change of Fire Chiefs.

The Seattle fire commissioners have deposed Chief Gard Kellogg and elected Capt. A. B. Hunt in his place. Kellogg is a good fireman, but was unfortunate in getting mixed up in little difficulties in the department, which culminated in serious trouble.

Clear and Windy.

The Walla Walla was several hours overdue from San Francisco this morning, having been delayed by strong headwinds. The trip from Golden Gate to the Cape was a pleasant one, the weather being clear.

Jockey Club Meeting.

The Jockey club will meet in the City Hall to-night to consider the proposal of the Mount Tolmie Turf Association recently made. A full attendance of members is requested.

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THE BANKBURNS.

Full Text of the Judgment Delivered by the Hon. Mr. Justice Crease.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in appeal, in the matter of the British barque Bankburn and in re an application for writs of certiorari and habeas corpus by John Rosenblom, a Swede, now a prisoner in the provincial gaol at Victoria. Before Hon. Mr. Justice Crease, October 24th, 1892.

This was an order nisi granted by the Chief Justice on the 17th day of October, 1892, to show cause why a writ of certiorari should not issue to E. Baynes Reed, Esq., J.P., stipendiary magistrate for the county of Victoria, for the removal of the record of conviction of John Rosenblom, together with all things touching the same, and the cause of the detention of the said John Rosenblom, into the Supreme Court; on the ground that there was nothing in the evidence or conviction or found by the magistrate aforesaid as to continued wilful disobedience to justify the sentence of six weeks' hard labor and $12 fine being imposed on the said John Rosenblom. And why in the event of the said rule being made absolute, the said John Rosenblom should not be discharged from custody without the said writ actually issuing and without the body of the said John Rosenblom being actually brought into court.

At the same time before the same stipendiary magistrate E. Baynes Reed, Esq., there were twelve others of the crew prisoners, who were summarily tried and sentenced each to six weeks' imprisonment with hard labor and a fine of $12 for continued wilful disobedience under sub-section 5 of section 243 of the British Merchant Shipping Act, 1854.

Rosenblom's was accepted by the Crown as a test case which was to govern those of the other twelve prisoners.

The facts were simply these:—

The 13 seamen were able seamen on board a British registered ship called the Bankburn, and all proved and admitted to have borne a good character during the whole voyage. This ship was an ocean tramp, on which the men understood they had been chartered for 12 months, and now out 15 months from Hamburg. Their time had therefore expired.

They complained of want of sufficient and proper food and bread, and that what there was was badly cooked; and on remonstrance could obtain no satisfaction from the captain. Their bodily appearance confirmed their statement.

Now they were in a British port they wished to see a magistrate to get their complaint attended to.

Their request was disregarded, and the captain, H. Davies, ordered the ship to sea.

They refused to weigh anchor until they had seen a magistrate.

The men as a body did not appoint the usual anchor watch for the evening of the 29th, and, although the mate called for it, he did not name the two particular men who were to compose it.

It was usual for the men to settle among themselves who should keep anchor watch, but this evening they did not do so, possibly for the same reason, the men wanted to be heard in a British port and have their complaint redressed.

The ship was not entered at the Custom House.

The alleged acts of disobedience were two: One, which was not very clearly proved, viz., to set an anchor watch at 10 p.m. on the 29th. The second act of disobedience was, refusing to weigh anchor at 4:30 a.m of the 30th of September, on the ground they wanted to see a magistrate, for the purpose above mentioned, now they were in a British port.

This no doubt was technically an act of disobedience under sub-section 4 of section 243, British Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, punishable by imprisonment for any period not exceeding four weeks, with or without hard labor, and also at the discretion of the court to forfeit out of the wages of the seamen so punishable, a sum not exceeding two days' pay.

But as they had made complaints on board of insufficient food and cooking, which as Swedes and strangers and rude sailors too, they had difficulty in explaining before a court, and so found themselves as culprits when they expected to have been complainants—even that punishment would have been severe, could the magistrate have known what the captain knew, of the state of the food on board, and the general good conduct of the crew.

But the punishment actually inflicted was six weeks' imprisonment with hard labor and $12 fine on each man.

Now, the 5th sub section of section 243 of the British Merchant Shipping Act, 1854, says: "Continued wilful disobedience of commands" entails a liability of imprisonment for any period not exceeding 12 weeks, with or without hard labor, and also at the discretion of the court to forfeit for every 24 hours continuance of such disobedience, either a sum not exceeding six days' pay or any expenses which have been properly incurred in hiring a substitute.

Now, to warrant this, the captain had to show a continued disobedience for twenty-four hours.

The evidence proved that the first act of disobedience occurred at 10 p.m. on the 29th September, and continued till 4:30 a.m. on the 30th September, when the men refused to weigh anchor. The fine for this is a sum easily calculable, one would have thought, by the magistrate.

The amount of pay per diem was £3 or 60 shillings a month wages; or two shillings, say half a dollar, a day.

Six days' pay would, therefore, have been three dollars, not 12 dollars.

Sailors, who have to work like horses, and often in peril of life, at half a dollar a day, deserve some consideration when it is a question of a fine. If the 12 dollars was intended to represent the "expenses properly incurred in hiring a substitute," not a tittle of evidence was produced to show that any substitute was hired, or that if any was hired, he cost 12 dollars, or any sum at all.

The conviction itself is defective in not showing how this 12 dollars was arrived at, the rate of pay allowed, and what was paid to any substitute.

The punishment being excessive and unlawful, the fine excessive and unlawful, and the conviction also being bad—for a conviction bad in part is bad in all—I have no hesitation in making the rule absolute with costs, and this decision is to be applicable—mutatis mutandis—to the case of each of the other seamen.

It is a remarkable instance of speedy justice, that the first batch of six men arrested at 7:30 a.m. were taken ashore and tried summarily at 8:45 a.m. The second batch of seven were arrested at 3:30 p.m., taken ashore at 4 p.m., and tried summarily at 5:30 p.m., apparently without professional assistance; which, in the case of foreign and inexperienced sailors, should be suggested, rather than discountenanced. If guilty, sailors, in the interests of trade and commerce, should be severely punished, but only when clearly proved guilty.

HENRY S. PELEOW CREASE, J.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Maude left for Alberni today.

Steamer Walla Walla arrived from San Francisco this morning with 98 tons of freight for Victoria and 58 passengers.

It is expected that the U. S. survey steamer Gedney will leave for San Francisco either this evening or tomorrow.

Drink California Wine. Cal. Wine Co., Nos. 55 and 57 Broad St.

The Lacrosse Club's Concert.

A meeting of the lacrosse club concert committee will be held this evening. Some of the best local musicians have promised to take part and make the concert the musical event of the season.

Coal at $5.50 for Cash.

Rattray, in his new office at No. 42 Johnson street, in the new Turner building, opposite Gilmore & McCandless', is selling the best doubled screened Wellington coal; weight guaranteed, 2000 pounds to the ton, for cash only. *

Deserved Better Luck.

The audience at the Victoria Theatre last night was only fair sized, but the performance of McPhee of Dublin by John T. Kelly and his excellent company was none the less amusing. The company should have had far better houses both nights. The piece is good, the actors are better, and the jokes and music are bright.

Much Wider Than Free Trade.

The New York Sun in noticing Miss Jean Howison's Burns lecture said: "In the course of a lecture in Caledonian Hall last evening on Robert Burns, with readings from his poems, Miss Howison said that a Canadian had referred to the poem, 'A man's a man for a' that,' as prophetic of free trade. She believed it to mean universal suffrage."

Made Other Arrangements.

A dispatch from was received from Port Townsend last evening stating that Grant Brothers, of Tacoma, who had the contract for raising the steamer Premier, had failed in their attempt. Captain Irving, of the C.P.N. Company, came home last evening and made other arrangements for raising the Premier. He sent orders to Port Townsend for tugs to make an attempt to tow her off.

The Exile Club.

Thirty prominent young men of Victoria now compose the Exile Club. The club, as its name indicates, has its membership among exiles, that is, persons who have left their native country to try their fortune in this. The organizer of the club is H. Nourse Newton, who is secretary. The club rooms are in the Wilson block. Next spring the Exiles propose to build a boathouse on the Gorge.

Educated Canines.

Professor Morris and his troupe of 30 trained dogs will be seen at the Victoria Theatre on Saturday November 5th. The engagement begins with a matinee at 2:30, and the usual performance in the evening. The Omaha Daily Bee referring to this entertainment says: The degree of intelligence displayed by Prof. C. Norris' educated dogs is without parallel. The opera house being packed nightly.

English Capital.

Mr. Thos. Elliott, of Rock Creek, was one of the arrivals in the city last evening. To-day he was sworn in as postmaster of Fairview, a new town 25 miles from Penticton. Mr. Elliott reports the sale of several claims to the Rattler English Mining Company. The company purchased for cash the Rattler, Brown Bear, Silver Crown, Silver Star and Wymm claims. They paid Harry Simpson $15,000 for the Wymm and Brownlee & Wilkinson $20,000 for the Brown Bear. The company has sent England for machinery.

Jeffreys Lewis's Engagement.

Arthur C. Aiston, Jeffreys Lewis's manager, is sanguine of her success here next Monday evening. Her eastern engagements were triumphs, and he has no fears that this city will prove unappreciative. Miss Lewis is certainly one of the most remarkable actresses before the public, and it is doubtful if there is another English-speaking actress to compare with her. "La Belle Russe" will be the play for the second night of Miss Lewis's engagement, when she appears as "Geraldine" the beautiful adventuress. Harry Mainhall, the popular young actor, will play Capt. Dudley Brand.

Dramatic and Humorous.

Mr. Grenville P. Kleiser will visit Victoria about the 14th of November in the capacity of a dramatic and humorous reader. It will be Mr. Kleiser's first appearance in Victoria, although he has read in all the other cities of the Northwest. Mr. Kleiser is an exceedingly bright and clever entertainer, good looking and graceful. He has studied with Charles Roberts, of New York, conceded to be one of the best platform readers in America, and has recently been in the artistic atmosphere of that celebrated actor, Richard Mansfield. Mr. Kleiser's programme is such as a refined taste can commend.

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THE CATHOLIC BAZAAR.

Flattering Success Attends the Opening of the Grand Sale of Work.

The Ladies Are Pleased With the Patronage Extended and Hope for More.

Despite the torrents of rain last evening there was a very good attendance at the bazaar being held by the ladies of St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Cathedral, in the old church on View street. The hall looked very pretty, and the scene presented from the door was an animated one.

The entrance, walls and ends of the hall are nicely draped, and the booths with the many colored goods, were prettily decked.

By far the most interesting article to be seen in the bazaar is a real live lady solicitor. There is no such thing as declining to buy a ticket from her. First of all she is pretty. Then she pleads in such a way that "no," it seems to one, would be too harsh entirely. And so one buys. Those ladies work very hard in the interests of charity.

There was a fair attendance at tea last evening, and all who did go thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The Bantley family were present in the evening, and they, with several young ladies of the church, furnished a capital musical programme. This was one of the features of the evening. There was also some lively balloting done in the contest for the gold-headed cane, to go to the most popular newspaper editor in town. At the close it stood: TIMES 85, Colonist 83. It is hoped that when the returns from the up country districts are in that the TIMES will have a large and incontestable majority.

The gross receipts yesterday reached something over $300. This figure, considering the weather and the fact that it was opening day, was very satisfactory to the ladies.

The lunch served from 12 to 2 o'clock to-day was very well patronized, and the excellency of the bill of fare warranted even a better attendance. Supper will be served from 5 to 7 this evening. During the hours when meals are served there is no admission fee charged.

Among the ladies who are assisting ing in various ways at the bazaar are: Mrs. Davie, Mrs. W. J. Macaulay, Mrs. Thomas J. Burnes, Mrs. B. Madigan, Mrs. M. A. Smith, Mrs. Daniel Carmody, Mrs. Julius Tepoorten, Mrs. T. Deasy, Mrs. Lubbe, Mrs. McCluskey, Mrs. L. G. McQuade, the Misses Sullivan, the Misses Cameron, the Misses Dolan, Miss Clara Finn, of Merced, California. Miss Sophia McNiffe, Miss S. Smith, the Misses Baines, Miss Keast, and a score of others.

The harps which should have been at the bazaar last evening and were not brought out on account of the rain, will be there to-night, they having been received this afternoon, and the young ladies who perform on them will render some pleasing music.

In the cane contest the ballots counted at 2 p.m. to-day stood, Colonist, 149; TIMES, 110.

The Emperor's Birthday.

The Japanese are to-day celebrating the birthday of their Emperor, Muhsuhito. The Emperor is 41 years of age. His subjects in this city honored the event by closing their stores.

St. Paul's Sale of Work.

The ladies' aid of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Victoria West, are sparing no effort to make their third annual sale of work in the public hall, Craigflower road, on Tuesday afternoon and evening of next week, the most successful of any yet held. The result of a season's work, consisting of a large assortment of useful and fancy work, will be offered for sale at a fair market value. Light refreshments will be served during the afternoon, and a good substantial supper from 5 to 8 o'clock, for 25 cents. Music during the evening. Admission, 10 cents. Proceeds are in aid of the church building fund.

The Ploughing Match.

The gentlemen interested in the ploughing match to take place on the 12th inst. met at the Oriental Hotel last evening and completed arrangements. It was decided to have two matches, one for amateurs and one for professionals. The entrance fee for the latter will be $10, and for the former $5. The first one in each match will take 50 per cent. of the entrance money; the second 30 per cent., and the third 20 per cent. In addition to this, Messrs. E. G. Prior & Co. will award a plough to the winner of one of the events, and Messrs. Nicholles & Renouf will likewise reward the winner of the other event. Swing ploughs will be used. The match will start at 9 a.m. and the competitors must be off the ground by 3 p.m., when the judges will commence their work. The meeting to make final arrangements will be held at the Oriental Hotel on the 10th inst. at 8 o'clock. All entries must be made by that time.

British Columbia at Chicago.

A meeting of the British Columbia World's Fair commissioners was to have been held to-day. E. Hutcherson of Ladner's and D. Ker of Victoria were the only commissioners present. A. H. B. McGowan of Vancouver telegraphed that he could not attend. Mr. Anderson is in the Spallumcheen, and Mr. Law in the Cariboo district. The meeting has been indefinitely postponed. Mr. Hutcherson says of the British Columbia World's Fair exhibit: "I expect that we will begin to ship exhibits by New Year's. Our mineral exhibit will be very fine; our forestry specimens will surprise the natives, and I think our grain will favorably compare with Manitoban wheat. We have collected specimens of grain weighing 66 lbs to the bushel. I expect that one of our number will shortly leave for Chicago."

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Whiskey on the Side.

Last evening at the Victoria Theatre a party of bluejackets in the reserved section attracted a considerable amount of attention by handing about a flask full of whiskey, the liquor very rapidly disappearing under the repeated swigs of the sailors. The ladies and gentlemen sitting around the spot did not enjoy this side show, and several threatened to report the case to the naval authorities. When Jack behaves himself he has as much right to the parquette seats as anybody else, but when Jack, or anybody else, acts in a disgraceful manner the management should promptly eject the offender.

Supreme Court.

The case of Williams vs. Spencer, regarding the ownership of certain property of the Temperance Colony on Malcolm Island, came on to-day before Mr. Justice Drake. Mr. Eberts appeared for Mr. Williams and Mr. Spencer conducted his own case, cross-examining the plaintiff and his witnesses with all the skill of an experienced counsel. At 2 o'clock the court adjourned for an hour, after which witnesses for the defence will be examined.

Institute of Architects.

The B. C. Institute of Architects will meet in annual session at Vancouver to-morrow. Officers are to be elected for the coming year, the president's address read and other business transacted. The meeting will open at 9 a.m. and will last all day. Nearly every architect in Victoria will be in attendance as well as a large number of architects from the province. Victoria's delegation leaves in the morning.

County Court.

A number of judgment debtors were examined in the County Court to-day, and such orders made as their circumstances warranted the judge in making. Mr. Justice Walkem sat as judge.

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Were kindlier than the thoughtless tongues
Of the world's thoroughfare.

I heard no ring of Mammon's bells,
Thro' all the scented air,
No jargon of the tiresome crowd
Assailed me anywhere.

A grander than St. Peter's dome
Shone brilliant overhead!
I stood alone a worshiper
In the city of the dead.

Alone? Another followed me,
So pure she looked, and brave,
And laid her fragrant offering
Upon a new-made grave.

'Twas thus the Scottish poet knelt
To kiss the wild flowers' bloom,
I know the pathos that he felt
Beside the silent tomb.

To be remembered, so I thought,
Is nevermore to die,
In floral language thus is taught
Our immortality!

Oft by the graves of those we love,
Our sorrows find release,
In precious promise from above:
"In Me ye shall have peace."

My tears fell—an unspoken prayer—
Upon the fresh green sod,
And there I laid my cross of care
To walk alone with God!

—Arthur L. Jenks, in Jury.

WON BY A PLOT.

Why Minnie Married the Man Chosen by Her Father.

"It is so perfectly unreasonable of you, papa," pouted Minnie McAlster, only and petted daughter of Lawyer McAlster, and pretty and willful as a pet kitten; "so perfectly unreasonable, and it is so impudent of that fellow to write and ask you for my hand before I have set eyes on him."

"But you have set your eyes on him many a time," interrupted her father.

"Oh, yes," with a toss of the dainty head, "when he was in his first jacket, and I in pinafores. I know all about that. Because we were two pretty children, and pleasant playmates, our stupid fathers said: 'Let us pledge our children to each other.' And now, after twelve years, when I am seventeen and he twenty-one, the impudent creature coolly desires me to be true to that nonsensical trash, and writes to ask a renewal of your consent."

"Which he certainly has."

"But which it will do him no good to obtain," continued Minnie; "for I say positively I will not see him, nor speak to him, nor glance at him if he comes here. If you write and tell him to come, I will run away to Rockwood, anyhow, and take vocal lessons. I know I have musical genius, if it were properly cultivated; and there is a splendid professor at Rockwood who has a large class in training. I want to join it, and I shall go away next week if you consent; but if you let that horrid, impudent, insolent Walter Graham come here to look after my fortune (for that is what he wants), I shall go without your consent."

"My dear," said Lawyer McAlster, coolly, viewing his irate daughter with twinkling eyes, "let me correct one error you have fallen into. Walter Graham is worth three times what I am at this moment. His father's whole property is in his hands, and he is wealthy. So I hardly think he is looking with covetous eyes upon your few thousands. No; he remembers you as a most sweet child, and, being of a somewhat romantic turn of mind, he thinks it would be pleasant to follow out the wishes of his father and yours and renew the pledge made by them. However, if he could see you at this moment he would think you any thing but a sweet girl."

"Then I wish you would call in an artist and have my picture taken on the spot to send him."

"But I would rather not, for remember I desire you to see and at least treat this young man as the poet says we treat Vice, the monster—first endure, then pity, then embrace."

"Oh, yes," pouted Minnie, "you lawyers think there is nothing in life but bargain and sale. You would have me coolly pledge myself to this fellow because you think he would be a good match, and you would make a regular dry law affair of it, without any love or wooing in it."

"You are in error again," interrupted her father. "I would make a law affair of it by having you permit this 'fellow,' as you call him, to go to court and allow him to make his plea. I don't ask you to promise your hand to him till he has done this—but you refuse even to see him."

"Yes, I do refuse to see him, and there is an end of it. I am not going to be won in this matter-of-fact way. I am going to fall in love without meaning to, and be fallen in love with in some unexpected, romantic way and have it all like a story-book."

Mr. McAlster smiled.

"You will doubtless fall in love with that professor over at Rockwood," he said.

"Ah, no—he is old and gray. I shall meet my fate in some unlooked-for manner, when I least expect to, I suppose. But will you let me go to Rockwood?"

"I will think about it. I would rather you should take lessons here, and if I can get a good instructor to come here I suppose you will be just as well pleased, will you not?"

"Yes—if you keep Walter Graham away."

At the end of a week Mr. McAlster informed Minnie that he had secured her an instructor for her voice.

"I wrote to a friend," he said, "a musical gentleman of my acquaintance, and he has secured an excellent teacher, who will be here some time next week. He will make his home with us and will devote his whole time to you. I will pay him well for it, and you will progress much faster than you would at Rockwood. I want you to study hard and apply yourself strictly to your music. I shall pester you no more about Walter Graham, for I have written to him how you feel upon the subject, and now that Prof. Bangemwell is coming you need worry no more about that 'fellow's annoying you.'"

"Prof. Bangemwell!" repeated Minnie. "What a name! I know he is old, and tall, and thin, and wears green spectacles, and will be as cross as a bear, but I don't care so long as I can take lessons in singing, if he is an ogre."

Prof. Bangemwell looked any thing but an ogre as he stood in the parlor an hour after his arrival, and was presented to Miss Minnie, his pupil, who had just come in from a walk. He was tall, as she had said, but not old, being certainly not over twenty-five, and not thin, for he had the splendid figure of an Adonis, and his dark, magnetic eyes were not covered by green goggles, and the sweet smile that parted the handsome lips under the long black mustache proclaimed him any thing but "cross."

"Why, Prof. Bangemwell is perfectly splendid, papa," Minnie cried, after an hour's conversation with the professor, finding herself alone with her father. "He is just as handsome as he can be; and oh! what eyes. And he is so agreeable! I know we shall get on splendidly."

"There, there, that will do," said her father, frowning. "I would advise you not to rhapsodize over a common professor of music. He wasn't brought here to play the agreeable, but to teach you music."

Minnie pouted, and thought her father "awfully cross," and went back to the professor. He wanted to hear her voice, and so she sat down at the piano, and he stood very near and gave her suggestions about her position and told her how to draw in her breath and how to economize it; and then, when she sang a passage, he told her where she failed, and sang it for her, that she might understand it better. His voice was a splendid, soaring tenor, and it just lifted Minnie up to the "seventh heaven" to hear him sing. They were full two hours at their first lesson, and then Minnie played and sang some simple airs, and the professor joined in the chorus. So they whiled away another hour; and then Minnie went to her flowers, and the professor soon joined her in the garden, and proved himself as learned in botany as music.

"A magnificent man," Minnie said that night in her room. "I have heard and read of such men, but never saw one before;" and all that night long she dreamed of handsome, dark-eyed Prof. Bangemwell.

That was only the beginning. Prof. Bangemwell not only taught Minnie music and botany, but love. It was useless for her to try and conceal it. Her father frowned, her mother chided, and Minnie told them both "how foolish it was to accuse her of such nonsense," but at length she did not try to conceal her passion for the handsome professor.

"Yes, I do love him," she cried one day when they were warning her not to allow herself to fall in love with a poor music-teacher. "I do love him, and he loves me, and I am not ashamed to confess it. I would rather die than give him up, too, if he is a poor music-teacher."

Her father groaned.

"Wild, insane child," he said. "I will go and discharge the fortune-hunter immediately," and away he went in a rage, leaving Minnie in tears.

Half an hour later Prof. Bangemwell, dejected and sad, came to Minnie.

"Darling," he said, "I have been turned adrift by your stern father. I must leave the house to-night and forever. Can you give me up or will you go with me? I am a poor man, but I will work for you, slave for you, if you will be mine."

She clung to him weeping.

"I will go," she said, "to the uttermost parts of the earth with you."

"And you will leave all—father, mother, home, luxury?"

"Yes, gladly, if by so doing I can be yours forever."

He drew her closely to his breast and kissed her tenderly.

"Then, little one, if you love me so truly, you can forgive me for a little deception, I am sure. I have been playing a part, Minnie."

"Then, who—what—" she began. "I don't understand."

"Then I must explain. I am Walter Graham."

She sprang from his arms in wonder and amazement.

"Walter Graham!" she repeated.

"Yes, Walter Graham. Your father wrote to me how utterly you scorned my suit. I had not and could not forget my childish fancy for you. Through all the years I have been in foreign lands I have remembered you and hoped you would not forget the pledge made by our fathers. But I found you had forgotten and refused to see me. Then your father wrote, asking me if I could not play the part of a music-teacher for a time and stating the case as it stood. Fortunately I had received a thorough musical education in Germany, which enabled me to play my part well. I did not need to disguise, as there was no danger of your recognizing me, and your father and mother were in the secret. I came, saw and conquered. Won't you forgive me?"

She crept into his arms.

"Why, I suppose I shall have to," she said, "for I love you so, I could not be angry with you."

Just then her father came in.

"So ho!" he cried, "you have concluded to accept that horrid, impudent, insolent fellow after all, Minnie? Well, well, I am glad that things have ended so happily. Take her, Prof. Bangemwell, and if you find her half as good a wife as she has been a daughter, in spite of her caprices, you will never repent having taught music, I know."—N. Y. Evening World.

—At the Navy Yard.—"We cast cannon in here," said the guide as they stepped inside. "Do you?" asked the pretty girl. "Now, please show us where you blow great guns. I often hear my naval friends speak of them."—Kate Field's Washington.

—Daniel Salisbury and his wife, of Lac Qui Parle, Minn., are probably the oldest married couple in this country. They are 103 and 101 years old respectively, have been married eighty years, and are still "quite smart."

A ROOSTER HORSE TAMER.

How a Poor Hindu Fakir Overcame a Vicious Stallion.

Hindus are very skillful in taming wild animals and snakes, and an incident was related the other day by an Indian traveler of how an Indian fakir tamed in a few minutes a refractory horse that no one else could manage.

The horse in question was a full-blooded stallion, belonging to one of the Rajahs who had bought him for 25,000 rupees. The animal's favorite trick was to run backward when any one mounted him, and no amount of spurring or whipping could make him go in the direction that a good horse should go. Many famed horse tamers were hired to cure the horse of this disgraceful trick, but none succeeded. The Rajah offered £200 to any one who should break the horse of his bad habit.

An English officer who was acquainted with the Rajah told him that he knew a common fakir who was of a very inventive turn of mind, and advised him to give the fellow a trial. The fakir was sent for, and appointed a day on which he said he would positively cure the horse of all bad tricks.

The Rajah, with a number of officers and retainers, went to witness the taming. The tricky horse was handsomely caparisoned, but the fakir made his appearance in his every-day dilapidated clothes, that were dirty, as usual, for he had no others. By his side walked a ragged boy carrying a bag with something in it. The fakir said a few words to the boy and then leaped upon the horse's back with the agility of a monkey. The horse immediately began running backward. Everybody was wondering what the fakir could do, when suddenly the boy thrust his hand into the bag and brought out a wild, vicious-looking rooster with spurs three inches in length. Quick as a flash the boy fastened the fowl to the horse's tail and then the fun began. The rooster put in some fine work with his spurs and cackled and screeched as loud as he could. The horse was evidently surprised. First he stopped, and then tried to catch the rooster, as a kitten does its tail, by turning round and round. The fakir held on like a leech.

Finding this did not succeed, the horse started on a run straight ahead, just as would a dog with a tin can attached to his caudal appendage. The stallion had been conquered. That one lesson was sufficient, and he never tried to run backward again.

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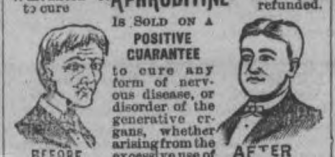

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" 10.15		" 4.47		46	DUNCAN'S
" 10.23		" 4.55		52	SOMENOS
" 10.43		" 5.15		59	CHEMAINUS
" 11.00		" 5.33		68	OYSTER BAY SIDING
Ar. 11.30		" 6.14		73	NANAIMO
Dp. 11.50		" 6.34		78	WELLINGTON
Ar. 12.10	P M	Ar. 6.50			

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Ar. 12.40	P M	Ar. 5.50	P M	78
" 12.30		" 5.41		74
" 12.20		" 5.31		71
" 12.12		" 5.23		67
" 11.46	A M	" 5.19		66
" 11.10		" 4.56		60
" 10.50		" 4.34		57
" 10.40		" 4.14		47
" 10.27		" 3.59		42
" 10.17		" 3.49		39
" 10.01		" 3.33		32
" 9.36		" 3.08		28
" 9.15		" 2.55		22
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4 30 pm	Ar	110	...Victoria†...	M1	Lv	8 30 pm

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	Lv	M1			Ar	
11 00 pm	Lv	28	...*Seattle....	53	Ar	3 00 pm
12 30 am	Lv	39	.Port Madison	47	Lv	2 10 pm
	Lv	45	...Kingston...	41	Lv	
3 00 am	Lv	49	.Port Gamble.	21	Lv	11 00 am
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6 00 am	Ar	88	Pt. Townsend	M1	Lv	8 00 am

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A RAILWAY SLAVE.

Another Glaring Case of the Brutal Overworking of Railroad Switchmen.

He Fell Asleep in His Box While the Flying Scotsman Swept on to Destruction.

LONDON, Nov. 2.—The casualties in the railway collision at Thirsk yesterday are ascertained to have been ten killed and ten injured, several sustaining severe burns and fractures of bones. This accident is likely to result in a boom for the American style of coaches, and especially of sleepers. Of the ordinary carriages, some ahead of the Pullman sleeper and others behind it, all were smashed to pieces, while the Pullman, though racked and twisted, withstood the shock in a manner marvellous to English eyes. None of the numerous occupants of the Pullman were seriously hurt, the majority escaping with a bad shaking up.

The switchman, who was found asleep in his box after the collision, wept bitterly as he related his story. He admitted his responsibility for the failure to display the proper signals, but said it was impossible for him to keep awake, as he had been nursing his sick child by day and working nights for some time back. The child had died Tuesday. The father asked the local agent for two days' leave of absence, but it was refused, though he protested his inability to perform his duties.

When the collision occurred the locomotive rebounded and turned partly around, falling in a field beside the track. The carriages between it and the Pullman car crashed together and fell over upon the locomotive. The coals from the furnace of the locomotive set fire to the gas with which the track had been lighted. The flames spread slowly but surely, no organized attempt being made to check them, and the supply of water being limited.

A passenger named Mackenzie went raving mad while witnessing the flames slowly roasting his wife to death. He made several efforts to throw himself into the burning pile and die with her, but was restrained by his fellow passengers, who, like himself, were unable to render any assistance. The first help from Thirsk, a distance of only two and a half miles, arrived two hours after the disaster, and even then no wrecking appliances were furnished for clearing the wreck away or caring for the dead and injured.

The French in Dahomey.

PARIS, Nov. 2.—A dispatch from Porto Novo states that a Dahomeyan chief, who had been captured by the French, says that the Dahomeyans are assisted by 200 white men. He gives the names of many Belgians and Germans. The despatch says that after the French capture Abomey, another king will succeed Behanzin, who was put to death for his crimes. Mail advices state that while the French gunboat Opale was returning from Kobe on September 30th, it was suddenly attacked near Donkoli by 600 Dahomeyans armed with quick-firing rifles. Three of the French on the gunboat were killed and a number were wounded. The Opale shelled all the villages along the river. The next day 200 sharpshooters surprised Donkoli. The Dahomeyans fled, leaving many dead behind them. Transports bearing the invalids and wounded French troops were arriving at the coast daily. The hospitals at Porto Novo were crowded, and vessels in the roadstead had been chartered to accommodate the wounded. If the Government receives the despatch before the meeting of the Chamber of Deputies to-morrow, announcing the entry of the French troops into Abomey, the capital of Dahomey, a bill will be introduced for the striking of a medal to commemorate the campaign. Colonel Dodds, commander of the French forces operating in Dahomey, will be promoted to a generalship and will be made an officer of the Legion of Honor.

Oriental News.

There is likely to be a gold boom in Burmah even fiercer than anything that has been seen in Bengal. The last issue of the Burmah Gazette publishes the analysis of a sample of sand, got by an hour's washing on the banks of the Irrawaddy above Senbo. The sample weighed 3lb. 10oz. and contained 104 grains of gold, or at the rate of 11lb. 4oz. to the ton.

The Amoy Gazette says:—From Chinese accounts the deaths amongst the natives this summer have been nearly 30 per cent less than those of previous years. This may be accounted for by the fact that in the spring we had a good deal of rain, which cleansed all the drains and streets and scarcely left a particle of the malarial microbe in any corner.

The Danger Not Yet Over.

TORONTO, Nov. 2.—The Globe's cable says:—"The demand for the exclusion of Canadian live stock grows stronger on account of the alleged cases of pleuro-pneumonia, and in Scotland it will probably find emphatic expression at the various meetings of the farmers' societies to be held during the ensuing week. The position of the trade is very critical. The Board of Agriculture has not yet definitely reported the actual nature of the disease. Should any further suspicious cases arise, the Government will certainly schedule Canadian cattle."

A Monetary Conference.

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—Senator Jones and Henry W. Cannon, two of the American representatives to the International Monetary Conference, left for Brussels this morning on the steamer Teutonic.

Mother of Clara Louise Kellogg.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Jane Elizabeth Kellogg, mother of Clara Louise Kellogg, the opera singer, died at the Clarendon Hotel yesterday evening of heart failure, aged 74.

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CANADIAN NOTES.

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The World's Fair staff are allotting space to intending Canadian exhibitors.

The wife of Thomas Hartley, fireman, of London, committed suicide by hanging.

Robert Hawley, Hamilton, has been arrested, charged with conspiracy to defraud Wm. Henry Moore out of $600.

Richard Haskings, mechanical superintendent of the Japanese railway, now in Toronto, was stricken with heart failure.

At noon yesterday, while the men were away at dinner, the boiler in H. McQuarrie's saw and shingle mill at Baysville, Muskoka, blew up.

At a meeting of the Montreal Sir John Macdonald memorial committee it was announced that subscriptions to the amount of $20,000 had been obtained.

There was a marked falling off last month in the export of Canadian cattle to Great Britain. The total shipments so far are 11,546 cattle and 15,231 sheep below those of the same date last year.

Rev. H. J. Hamilton, late professor of ecclesiastical history at Wycliffe College, Toronto, has left for Japan to enter upon active missionary work under the auspices of Wycliffe College Mission.

H. A. Massey, of Toronto, who recently made a valuable donation to Victoria University, will erect a building worth $40,000 in the centre of the city for the Central Lodging House Association.

The Government proposes to dam the St. Lawrence River near the Cornwall canal, giving three miles of navigable water in the river, where it is not navigable now, and also remove the dangerous banks.

In response to a request for local officers at Hamilton the Grand Trunk Railway Co. has appointed Joseph Wallace general agent at Hamilton; M. C. Dickson, district passenger agent, and J. Earl, district freight agent.

Wm. McLennan, the world renowned Scottish dancer, has died in the Montreal general hospital of meningitis, after an unsuccessful operation by six of the most eminent surgeons in the city. He was born in Edinburgh 35 years ago.

The total number of Chinese who entered Canada and paid the poll-tax during the last fiscal year was 3276, against 2114 the previous year. Of the above 2138 arrived in Victoria and 1123 at Vancouver. The previous year the figures were, 1350 Vancouver, 754 Victoria.

Hardouin Leonard, founder of St. Jean Baptiste Ward, Montreal, is dead. Some years ago he bought large tracts of land and became one of the largest real estate owners in the city. His titles being contested he fought his case from court to court and at last won his suit before the British Privy Council.

The London correspondent of the Montreal Star called upon Sir Charles Tupper in London a few days since and asked him whether he would accept the Premiership of the Dominion under any circumstances. Sir Charles replied:—"No; when Sir John Macdonald died my name was mentioned in some quarters as his probable successor. I then positively declined to allow my name to be brought forward, and I am now more decided on that point than I was then. My work is here in London, and I am glad to say that so far the results accomplished have been very satisfactory. Should Sir John Abbott resign, and I believe he will do so shortly, the person to succeed him should be Sir John Thompson. He is entitled to the position by seniority and by ability."

The Mercier Case.

QUEBEC, Nov. 2.—On ascending the bench yesterday morning in the Criminal Court, Judge Wurtele rendered a judgment upon motions made on Monday by Mr. Fritzpatrick, counsel for Pacaud. By the first count in the indictment the defendants were charged with having conspired to obtain and appropriate to themselves $60,000 of moneys belonging to Her Majesty and by the second count they were charged to have conspired to obtain the same amount from La Caisse d'Economie. Fitzpatrick's first motion was that the Crown elect upon which of these two counts they would proceed. It was a well known fact that unless there was express legislation of this effect not more than one felony could be included in the same indictment, but the rule was a little different in respect to misdemeanors. The second motion was to the effect that the court intervene to set aside the second count of the indictment. Both motions were dismissed, and before commencing taking evidence for the defence, Mr. Fitzpatrick addressed the jury at length, explaining the facts which he intended to adduce on the part of his clients. Mr. Fitzpatrick spoke for three hours and a half, and the court adjourned. The examination of witnesses for the defence in the Mercier-Pacaud trial commenced this afternoon, and had nearly been completed when the court rose, only three witnesses remaining to be examined on minor details. A verdict is expected to-morrow night.

More Rocks Discovered.

MADRID, Nov. 2.—Despatches from Ferrol state that the British warship Howe is ashore on the Pereiro Reef at the entrance to that port. Numerous efforts to get the warship off have been unsuccessful. She is thought to have been severely damaged, and may be a total loss. She went on the reef in a fog. The Howe is a big warship of 10,300 tons and 11,500 horse power. She carries ten guns, and on the navy list is named as one of the Channel Squadron.

A full line of first class groceries and provisions at prices that will compare with any in the city. Quality guaranteed. Bowness & Creeden, 135 Government street.

Every working man should purchase of Graham, Blue Front Store, at 148 Government street.

Largest stock of furniture and house furnishing goods in the province at Weiler Bros.

Some new, fine quality silk plushes in extra shades at Weiler Bros., 51 to 55 Fort street.

Drink Victoria Lager.

LOSS OF FERTILITY.

It Can be Avoided by Attending to Organic Matter.

The important secret of maintaining fertility of soil is simply the maintaining of organic (animal and vegetable) matter on the surface. The benefit comes in soon or later, in proportion as the matter is a sort that readily decays or not. If this matter is of a compact nature, and lies on in mass, so that air does not readily circulate through it, it may sour and become corrosive to plants near it, instead of beneficial. Where lands are subject to overflow, and the current is not so rapid as to cause any waste of the soil by washing, the water will bring and leave on or in the soil the essentials for a full crop, so that good growth can be obtained year after year, with no addition of manure. Insects, too, are reduced by being drowned out. No matter that decays naturally should be wasted by burning. [Unless infested by fungus germs or injurious insects or their eggs.—Ed.] The coarser parts can be made to do nutrient service about perennial bushes and trees, and the rest can be used around plants of less height—only very dwarf and delicate seedlings requiring that the surface be fine. Even for them it is best that the actual surface be fine vegetable mold.

It is not safe to bury much coarse matter in the soil. In clearing woodland, the farmer is careful to get rid of all leaves and chips in order to avoid their being buried in the soil and souring there. The bulky roots of corn when turned down fresh have that effect, and render it impracticable to sow wheat on fresh corn stubble with prospect of any good return. The burning off of leaves and chips on clearings has instilled among our people the idea that burning off all surface litter is good and proper practice, whereas it is actually a sinful waste, rapidly hastening exhaustion of soil. Grass is the most effectual means of restoring the natural vegetable surface, or humus, to hilly soils, and it has the merit of not being liable to being washed away as any loose litter may be. It uplands cannot yield so much bulk of grass as the moister lowlands, it is so much sweeter and more nutritious in most cases as to justify keeping them covered with grassy growth, excepting while being used for some other crop; never leaving them lie bare avoidably.—N. Y. Tribune.

What a Horse Can Do.

"A horse will travel 400 yards in four and one-half minutes at a walk, 400 yards in two minutes in a trot, 400 yards in one minute at a gallop," says the Humane World. "The usual work of a horse is taken at 22,500 pounds raised one foot per minute for eight hours per day. A horse will carry 250 pounds 25 miles per day of eight hours. An average draft horse will draw 1,600 pounds 23 miles per day on a level road, weight of wagon included. The average weight of a horse is 1,000 pounds; his strength is equivalent to that of five men. In a horse-mill moving at three feet per second, track 25 feet in diameter, he exerts with the machine the power of four and one-half horses. The greatest amount a horse can pull in a horizontal line is 900 pounds, but he can only do this momentarily; in continued exertion probably half of this is the limit. He attains his growth in five years, will live 25 and averages sixteen years. A horse will live 25 days on water without solid food, seventeen days without eating or drinking, but only five days on food without drinking. A cart drawn by a horse over an ordinary road will travel 1.1 miles per hour of trip. A four-horse team will haul from twenty-five to thirty-six cubic feet of limestone at each load. The time expended in loading, unloading, etc., including delays, average thirty-five minutes per trip. The cost of loading and unloading a cart using labor is $1.25 per day and a horse 75 cents is 25 cents a perch—24 75 cubic feet. On metal rails a horse can draw one and two-thirds as much as on asphalt pavement, three and one-third times as much as on good Belgian blocks, five times as much as on good earth road, forty times as much as on sand. A modern compilation of engineering maxims states that a horse can drag, as compared with what he can carry on his back, in the following proportions: On the worst earthen roads, three times; on a good macadam road, nine; on plank, twenty-five; on a stone trackway, thirty-three, and on a good railway, fifty-four times as much."

The War Against Insects.

The war on bugs and other enemies of our useful plants goes bravely on. The following inexpensive medicine for them and stimulant for their plant victims is given by the Scientific American: "Dissolve one tablespoonful of saltpeter in a pail of water. A pint poured around each hill of cucumbers or squashes is very good for the plants and very bad for the bugs, both striped and black, which burrow at night in the earth about the plants. Cutworms are also said to dissolve like earth treated with saltpeter. This is a remedy which would certainly be very useful to the plants, and if, as is claimed, it destroys or keeps away insect marauders, it will prove most valuable. This saltpeter solution is useful to any plant which is attacked by insects which at any time burrow in the ground."

A Neglected Small Matter.

There is not sufficient value and importance attached to land plaster as an absorbent and disinfectant in the dairy stables. If used judiciously and carefully it will add many dollars to the value of the manure pile. If from a pint to a quart per day for each cow is used, it will impart a degree of sweetness to the stables not before known to the user. This quantity will absorb all the volatile ammonia, and this, for sanitary, if for no other reason, should not be lost sight of.

For Sale or to Let.

With immediate possession, two Houses on Rae Street. Parlor, Dining Room, four Bedrooms upstairs. Apply to J. GERHARD TIARKS, Architect, oc26-tf 39½ Government Street.

TENDERS WANTED.

Notice to Contractors.

Tenders will be received up to noon, Tuesday, 8th inst., for the erection of a Frame and Iron Building, facing south-west corner of Douglas St. and Queens Ave., for A. Keating, Esq.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JOHN TEAGUE, Architect.
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THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite, especially for domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal; makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean Steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS, Superintendent.

Dec. 30.

AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

Saturday Night, November 5.

SPECIAL MATINEE, 2 P. M.

PROF. C. NORRIS'

Canine Paradox,

The World's Greatest Canine Show, Consisting of

THIRTY HUMANLY EDUCATED DOGS

Interesting, Amusing and Instructive. Endorsed by the Pulpit, Press and Public, and Leading Humane Societies.

Prices Reduced. 25, 35, and 50 cents.

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VICTORIA THEATRE

Monday and Tuesday Evg's, Nov. 7 & 8.

Special Engagement of the Brilliant Magnetic Artiste,

JEFFREYS LEWIS

Accompanied by HARRY MAINHALL, and her own company of players, under the direction of Mr. Arthur S. Alston.

Monday evening Jeffreys Lewis will appear in her grand character impersonation of "Stephanie" in "FORGET ME NOT."

Tuesday evening a magnificent production of David Belasco's famous "LA BELLE RUSSE," will be given, Jeffreys Lewis appearing as "Geraldine," her original character.

Prices 50c. and $1. Seats now selling at Jamieson's.

FINE LITERARY TREAT.

"Perhaps it may turn out a song,
Perhaps turn out a sermon."

MISS JEAN HOWIESON,

of Perth Scotland, gifted lecturer, reader, orator, scholar will give her famous

Lecture on Robert Burns,

Scotland's greatest Bard, and give selections from his choicest poems: "Tam O'Shanter," "Cotter's Saturday Night," "Man was Made to Mourn," "Lines to Mary in Heaven," "Letter to Andrew," "A Man's a Man for a' That," "Epistle to Davie," "To the Unco Guid," etc.

SIR WILLIAM WALLACE HALL,

Saturday, 5th November, at 8 p.m.

Bazaar.

The Ladies of the Catholic Cathedral will hold a Bazaar on

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY

November 2 and 3,

In the Hall on View Street, next to the New Cathedral.

A Hot Lunch will be provided from 12 till 2 each day for 50 cents.

Music in the Evening.

Admission 25c. Children Half Price.

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VICTORIA THEATRE.

TWO NIGHTS OF FUN.

Tuesday & Wednesday, Nov. 1 & 2,

The Established Comedian

JOHN T. KELLY,

Supported by Florrie West, Adelaide Randall, Harry Kelly, and a funny company, in the merry eccentricity

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The Greatest Comedy Success in Years.

A LAUGH FROM START TO FINISH.

Songs, Dances, NEW Costumes, Scenery.

Seats now on sale at Jamieson's. oc28-4t

SECOND ANNUAL

Grand Masquerade Ball,

Under the auspices of Milton Lodge, Sons of St. George, will be held in the Assembly Hall, Friday, November 18th. Four handsome prizes will be given. For further particulars see posters. Tickets, admitting lady and gent, $1.50; single ladies, 50c. oc28-td

The Highest Cash Price paid for Deerskins by J. BOSCOWITZ & & SONS, 16 Fort Street, below Bank of British Columbia.

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A. MAXWELL MUIR, ARCHITECT,

Rooms 3 and 18, - - - Turner Block

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HOTELS.

New Telegraph HOTEL.

Having Leased the New Telegraph Hotel, Store Street, and furnished it anew, it will be opened for the accommodation of the public on the 25th inst.

ACCOMMODATION FOR 100 GUESTS

This Hotel is a three-story brick, with basement; has electric light and gas, and all the modern conveniences, and commands a fine view of the harbor.

TERMS, from $1 to $2 per Day.

JONATHAN MERRIFIELD.

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CLARENCE HOTEL

Corner of Yates and Douglas Streets.

This very excellent Hotel is now prepared for the reception of guests. Suites of rooms can be set apart for families and single rooms for separate visitors. Young men desiring well-appointed rooms without board can be well accomodated.

W. JONES, Proprietor.

July 30-tf

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A FARM OF TWO HUNDRED ACRES ON West Saanich road, about eight miles from Victoria. Sixty acres good bottom land, forty acres cleared, well ditched and fenced. Price $30 per acre; half cash, balance on time. Apply to GEORGE LINDSAY, m29-tf 55 Third street. Victoria

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that I will apply at the next meeting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for a transfer of the license of the Pacific Telegraph Hotel, to the New Telegraph Hotel, Store Street.

J. MERRIFIELD.

Victoria, Nov. 2, 1892.—td

NOTICE is hereby given that we, William Shewan and Robert Menaugh intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners in and for the City of Victoria, at the next sitting thereof on the second Wednesday of December, 1892, for a transfer of the retail liquor license now held by us for the premises known as the American Hotel, Yates Street, in the City of Victoria, to William John Hambly, and Frederick William Gilbert, both of Victoria, for the sale of malt and spirituous liquors by retail at the said premises hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated, Victoria, B.C., 1st November, 1892.

W. H. SHEWAN.
no2-1m ROBT. MENAUGH.

NOTICE.

My wife, Mary Francis Morrison, having left my house and board without any just cause, I beg to notify all whom it may concern that I will not be liable for any debts contracted by her in my name.

R. M. MORRISON.

Glenhall, Quamichan, 29th October, 1892.—1w

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 141, 142 and 144, in the City of Victoria.

CERTIFICATES of Indefeasible Title to the above lots will be issued to William Parsons Sayward on the 21st day of January, 1893, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by some person claiming an estate or interest therein, or some part thereof.

[L.S.] C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 19th October 1892. oc21-3m

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date we shall, on behalf of Honorable J. S. Helmcken, M.D., make application to the Honorable Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, for permission to erect a wharf fronting on his property, Lots 1367, 1368 and 1369, Block 47, Victoria City. Plans of the said wharf are now deposited with the Department of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the Land Registry office at Victoria, B. C.

Oct. 24th, 1892.

DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
oc24-1m Solicitors for Hon. J. S. Helmcken.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trusts Deeds Act, 1890

Notice is hereby given that Thomas Watson Carter and William Fraser Tolmie, carrying on business in the City of Victoria under the firm name of Carter and Tolmie, Brewers, have assigned all their real and personal property to John Joel Austin, of the said city of Victoria, Real Estate Agent, in trust for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority the creditors of the said Carter and Tolmie. The said deed was executed by the said Assignors and Trustee on the fourteenth day of October, 1892, and the said Assignee has undertaken the trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said firm of Carter and Tolmie must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the Assignee, at Victoria, on or before the fourteenth day of December, 1892. All persons indebted to the said firm of Carter and Tolmie are required to pay the amount due by them to the said Assignee forthwith. After the said fourteenth day of December, 1892, the Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice.

YATES, JAY & RUSSELL,
22 Bastion Street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignee.

Dated the fifteenth day of October, 1892.—tf

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890

NOTICE is hereby given, that Robert Geo. Howell and John H. Kerr, carrying on business in the City of Victoria, under the firm name of R. G. Howell & Co., Art Dealers, have assigned all their real and personal property to John G. Brown and Joseph Sears, both of the City of Victoria, in trust, for the purpose of paying and satisfying proportionately and without preference or priority, the creditors of the said R. G. Howell & Co. The said deed was executed by the said Assignors and Trustees on the tenth day of October, A. D. 1892, and the said Assignees have undertaken the Trusts created by the said deed. All persons having claims against the said firm of R. G. Howell & Co., must forward and deliver full particulars of claim, duly verified, to the Assignees, at Victoria, on or before the tenth day of December, 1892. All persons indebted to the said firm of R. G. Howell & Co. are required to pay the amount due by them, to the said assignees forthwith. After the said tenth day of December, 1892, the trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice. A meeting of the creditors will be held at the office of the undersigned on Wednesday the 19th day of October, 1892, at 3 o'clock, p.m.

THORNTON FELL,
56 Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitor for the Assignees.

Dated the tenth day of October, 1892.
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NOTICE.

In re Maria Larbonne, Deceased, Intestate.

All persons indebted to the estate of the above named deceased, are requested to pay the amount of such indebtedness to the undersigned, and all creditors of the said estate are requested to send in certified statements in detail.

Dated this 17th day of October, 1892.

YATES, JAY & RUSSEL,
Solicitors for Joseph Larbonne, Administrator.
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Board of Health Notice.

The attention of MEDICAL MEN is directed to the provisions of Section 13 of the Consolidated Health By-Law, which reads as follows:

13. Every medical practitioner attending or visiting any person who is suffering from small-pox, cholera or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

The attention of KEEPERS OF HOTELS AND BOARDING HOUSES in the City is directed to Section 12 of the Consolidated Health By-Law, which is as follows:

12. Whenever a person suffering from small-pox, cholera, or any other disease of a malignant character dangerous to the public health, is an inmate of any hotel or boarding house, the keeper, or one of the keepers, of such hotel or boarding house shall immediately give notice thereof to the Medical Health Officer or the Sanitary Inspector, who shall thereupon take such steps as may be deemed necessary to prevent the spread of such disease.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.

Victoria, B. C., Oct. 29, 1892.

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IF you call early at John Partridge's, 86 Yates Street, you will see a Line in

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THAT WILL

Open Your Eyes

CALL at once and get your pick, as these goods will go like ice cream.

LANSDOWNE HOUSE,

86 Yates Street,

Jno. Partridge.

YACHTING.

NO RACE NEXT YEAR.

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—It was learned last evening from a trustworthy source that H. Maitland Kersey, of the White Star line, representative of Lord Dunraven in the latter's negotiations for a race for the American cup next year, received a cable dispatch from Lord Dunraven yesterday saying there will be no race next season.

Writes Popular Songs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—Secretary John W. Foster, of the State Department, is likely to have a private secretary of some reputation as a composer, Mr. Hubbard Smith, the author and composer of "Listen to my Tale of Woe," and other popular songs.

A Veraict To-morrow.

QUEBEC, Nov. 3.—The defence closed this afternoon in the Mercier-Pacaud trial. A verdict will be reached to-morrow.

Hughes & O'Brien's teas and coffees are choice and cheap.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

BI-METALISM.

TO THE EDITOR,—Can you give us any information about bi-metalism? The question has been cropping up in the newspaper press of the Old Country for months past, and it is contended if settled it would be of great benefit. I have asked for information from a great many I meet and got none, save and except from one very knowing gentleman, who knows everything, or who thinks he does, which is the same thing, whether drawing a tooth, or building a house, and he says it means, "that at present the various nations have bound themselves not to coin more than a certain amount of silver; that America has an oversupply and that as it must not be coined into dollars the silver is to to speak locked up, and can only be got rid of by being sold to make silver candlesticks, silver spectacles and snuff boxes, etc, and that of course it would be a great boon to commerce and the world if bi-metalism would relieve her present costive state of that over abundant metal, and let her coin silver. Now have I been put on the right scent. If bi-metalism is a good thing, by all means let us have it, but a friend of mine said oh! don't you bother your head about bi-metalism; what we want is the single tax, that is the grand panacea for all our trouble and the world is just wakening up to the fact. But, Mr. Editor, I want first to know about this bi-metalism, and to tell the truth I have no particular hankering to know about the single tax. W. K. B.

Old Records Discovered.

Discovery has been made in an old junk shop at Hartford of the pay and muster rolls of the Connecticut troops in the French and Indian wars, concerning which no trace has been known for nearly 100 years. These documents became lost somehow in a mass of papers that had belonged for three generations to the family of Governor Thomas H. Seymour, who was appointed minister to Russia by President Pierce in 1853. The final settlement of his estate was not effected until 1890. In clearing out the personal effects hundreds of pounds of state papers and documents were burned. Fortunately four antique chests filled to the brim with records and manuscripts were rescued. It was from this accumulation that the pay and muster rolls under consideration were unearthed. The century of dust and waste had reduced many of the rolls to tatters, and as they were removed the remants fell apart. It has required months of patient work to reunite the fragments so that the rolls can be read without difficulty. Undoubtedly the legislature will authorize the publication of these ancient rolls. Two or three documents selected at random will show the character of the lot. An order signed by General Washington October 5, 1775, at the Continental army headquarters in Roxbury, Mass., is one of the papers recovered. It was addressed to William Ellery, of Hartford, the first postmaster ever appointed there, and directed him to exercise special care in conveying certain mail matter "across the North river." The papers as far as investigated show the signatures of every prominent public man in Connecticut during the concluding 25 years of the last century.

The price of food has much to do with profitable feeding.

Laying hens must have a due share of nitrogeneous food.

The simplest tools are usually the most effective and useful.

There is no danger of the ewe getting too fat after lambing.

A tool kept in order requires but little attention at one time.

The highest education is that which makes the best citizen.

Provide good shade for your sheep as well as for other stock.

Much of the progress of the age is only a repetition of the old.

The great need of the times is practical and intelligent teachers.

Too good crops are counted as national disasters. They make the farmer too independent.

Mixed pasture grasses are best for all animals; in the absence of these, feed a variety of food.

The trouble in making agricultural improvement is the entering upon new fields of experience and investigation.

Any weed cut back and not allowed to show its leaves above ground must die. "Wherever you see a head hit it."

The need of the country is not a few learned men, but the education of the mass up to the highest practical level.

A variety of food is more digestible as well as more agreeable, but it doesn't pay to eat everything at one meal.

The modern agricultural curriculum is modeled after the old classic one as the first railroad car was modeled after the old stage coach.—Mirror and Farmer.

Maintain the Flow of Milk.

Midsummer flies, heat drouth and exhausted pastures and enervated cows tend to materially reduce the flow of milk in the dairy cows and the profits of the dairyman in like manner gradually shink into perhaps an actual loss. How to avoid this financial disaster is the question the farmer must solve. Even

Fine fishing tackle at Fox's 78 Government street.

Phœnix Lager Beer.

Human Nature Influenced by Fashions.

The characters of those who follow the fashions are modified by every change of style. In all departments of dress is this true, and in no line is the fact more strikingly apparent than in the department of headwear.

Every lady recognizes the law that to be out of harmony with her hat is much the same thing as wearing an ugly hat. How often a young lady places a beautiful but unbecoming hat on her head, goes through the entire repertoire of her facial expressions in the hope of producing a charming effect and finally rejects the hat.

For no tasteful young lady could be tempted to appear under the most bewitching of bonnets, unless she could adapt her demeanor and appearance to it.

If she desires to wear a simple, modest little love of a bonnet, she is willing to undergo some facial changes, if a harmony with the bonnet may, in that way, be attained; but she cannot grow more modest and unassuming in appearance without her character being affected also, although probably not to so great an extent.

In endeavoring to appear modest and sweet-tempered, she begins to feel so. In using the facial language of modesty and simplicity, she indirectly excites to activity the mental organs which give rise to these sentiments, and they cannot be excited to greater activity without becoming stronger. For every faculty of the mind is strengthened by exercise, and by exercising the faculties which produce a harmony with the bonnet, these faculties are permanently strengthened in the character. Our young lady is really more sweet and pure-minded in consequence of having worn this hat.

What a beautiful manner in which to increase good qualities!—Minnie Ghent English, in The Phrenological Journal.

How Long Will He Stay?

No true Canadian can see Edward Blake turn from our shores without a twinge of regret, and the question of the duration of his absence becomes an important one. Will imperial affairs engross the remainder of his days, or will he return to his native land haloed with the honor of having shared in the accomplishment of the greatest constitutional change since England herself, under De Montfort's guidance struck the first rude model of popular government? These would be indeed idle speculations, but, win or lose, Canadians will follow his career in the larger field where he is now gone, and will welcome him back to Canada when the battle being won he can lay his armor aside.—John A. Ewan, in The Lake Magazine.

Discouraging.

Young author—What did you think of my new novel?

Cynical uncle—Oh, it is all well enough, I suppose, but for general use I am inclined to think some other opiate would be cheaper and easier to take.

BIRTH.

BLACKETT—In this city on the 2nd inst., the wife of J. St. Clair Blackett of a daughter

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WANTED—By a girl aged 14, situation to help at house work; in an American family preferred. Address H. M., TIMES Office. no3-2t

WANTED—At once, situation as plain cook and assisting with house work in private family, American preferred. Address H. M., TIMES Office. no3-2t

Buttons OR No Buttons

HAVE YOU SEEN THE SHETLAND LAMB'S WOOL DOUBLE BREASTED

"Bachelor"

UNDERSHIRT, WITHOUT BUTTONS,

OR THE

"Bachelor Button"

REQUIRES NO SEWING. WILL NEVER COME OF.

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